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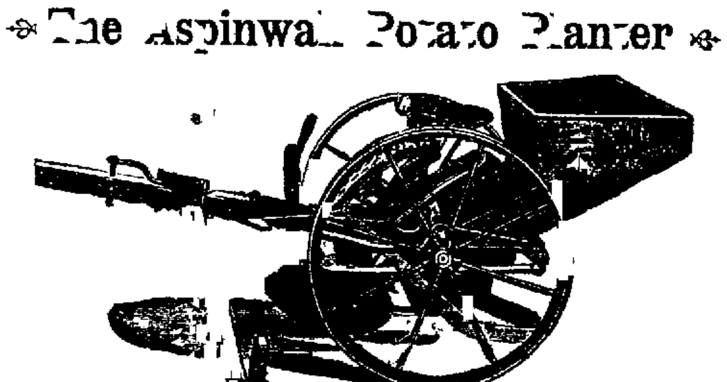

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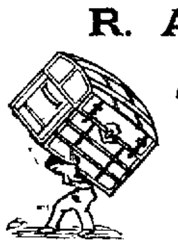

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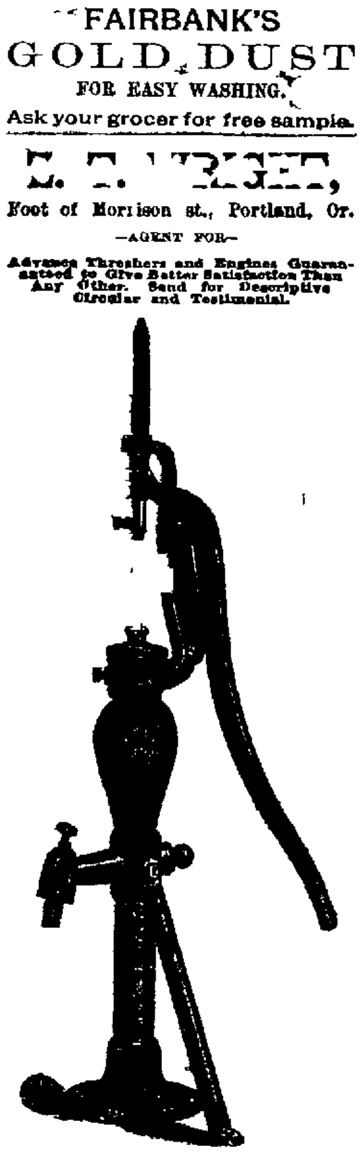

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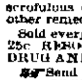

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THE JOINT LEASE IS OFF

Special Meeting of the Northern Pacific Directors.

RESIGNATION OF BRAYTON IVES

The Relations of the Old Northern Pacific Directors With Villard Have Been Severed—The Fight With the Union Pacific

NEW YORK April 25—At a special meeting of the Northern Pacific directors to day the resolution agreeing to an arbitration contract for the control and harmonious operation of the roads in the Pacific Northwest was rescinded

This ends the scheme of obtaining a joint lease of the Oregon Railway & Navigation lines by the Northern Pacific with the Union Pacific and throws the burden of the lease on the Union Pacific

The proposition to operate the Wisconsin Central on a percentage of the earnings was discussed and three forms of proposed contracts were presented Only one was read however after which the board adjourned to meet again next Thursday

After the adjournment it was announced that Brayton Ives who is one of the most active members of the Northern Pacific board had resigned his office of vice president of the Oregon & Transcontinental Company, to take effect May 12 This is understood to indicate that the relations of the old Northern Pacific directors with Villard have been severed, and it is expected that the representatives of the Oregon & Transcontinental in the Northern Pacific will withdraw from the Northern Pacific directorate

ADAMS HAS LITTLE TO SAY

BOSTON April 25—At the annual meeting of the Union Pacific yesterday 326 064 shares were voted for a new traffic agreement with the Oregon Short Line and 300 shares against it

President Adams will say little in regard to the Oregon Railway & Navigation controversy He says that if the Northern Pacific should terminate all negotiations for a joint lease of the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company's property the lease of the Oregon Railway & Navigation Company to the Oregon Short Line would still remain good.

WILL THE NORTHERN WITHDRAW?

Opinion of the General Passenger Agent of the Union Pacific.

SAN FRANCISCO April 25.—Railway officials in this city hardly know what view to take of the action of the Northern Pacific railroad in giving notice of its intention to withdraw from the Transcontinental Association They admit that bitter enmity now exists between the road in question and the Union Pacific over their present difficulty, but think that as the Northern Pacific's notice does not expire until ninety days, which will be July 19, successful efforts will be made to save the association from disruption

E. L Lomax, general passenger agent of the Union Pacific arrived from Portland this morning and spoke on the subject to a reporter as follows

"We intend to sell passenger tickets from Eastern points to the Puget sound country regardless of anybody We are prepared to answer for our conduct before any body any court, any association or any commission. It is not true that we are violating the Transcontinental agreement Chairman Leeds thinks the same as we do about it."

THE GOLDEN GATE SPECIAL,

It Will Leave San Francisco on Its Last Trip Saturday, May 4

SAN FRANCISCO April 25—It is announced by the Southern Pacific and Union Pacific people that the Golden Gate special will run its last trip leaving this city on Saturday, May 4

A new overland passenger train will be put on the Ogden line Sunday, May 5 and be the fastest regular daily train ever run between this city and the East Leaving San Francisco at 6 30 P M daily, it will arrive in Omaha in three days in Chicago in three days and nineteen hours, and in New York in four days and twenty one hours, or twenty six hours shorter than at present made by any single overland train It will be a limited train, and will carry only first class passengers

ONE OF VILLARD'S SCHEMES,

Steel Rails Ordered for 1500 Miles of New Road

WINNIPEG April 25—Henry Villard's hand appears to be seen in the alleged deal here to the effect that the Northern Pacific railroad company has succeeded in disposing of the large block of the Manitoba and Northern Pacific railroad bonds. Although it is impossible to learn the figure obtained for the bonds, it is known that a most successful sale was made Immediately upon the sale being made, the company ordered in England steel rails sufficient to iron 1500 miles of road.

OPPOSITION TO THE C. P.

A Company Organized in British Columbia With $50,000,000 Capital.

OTTAWA April 25—The opposition to the Canadian Pacific railroad has led to the formation in British Columbia, of the Western Transcontinental Railway Company with a capital of $50,000,000 The company has been organized by prominent British Columbia and English capitalists among whom was the great mine and railroad owner Dunsmuir who died a week ago

Annual Meeting of the Manitoba Officials.

NEW YORK, April 25—The annual meeting of the Manitoba road was held here to day

Sir George Stephen and Sir Donald Smith were made members of the board of directors

It was stated that the $8,000,000 of Manitoba stock, bought by interests identified with the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy two years ago, has been resold to the original holders It is believed that the change just made is a part of a programme by which all extensions of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy including the Burlington & Northern, will be cut off and a new association formed of the roads between Chicago and St Paul, which will pool the business from all the lines in the North and Northwest

The Trans-Missouri Railway Association

DENVER, April 25—Wm Wilson Finley general freight agent of the Denver Texas & Gulf road, has been appointed, and accepted the chairmanship of the new Trans Missouri Railway Association Mr Finley leaves for Kansas City the headquarters of the association on Saturday and will enter upon his duties May 1

THE SHIP BRIDGEWATER

One of Her Owners Demands Big Damages From Canada.

OTTAWA April 24.—John H Allen, one of the owners of the American ship Bridgewater seized by the Canadian customs officials at Shelbourne and detained for eighty one days is here pressing his claims for damages He originally sought compensation to the extent of $23 000 He came here direct from Washington where he had an interview with the secretary of state

He said to day The government wishes me to accept a flat enabling me to prove damages in the exchequer court. I will not accept it The seizure is now an international question and the subject of diplomatic correspondence

Allen says he will secure at least $50 000 damages the amount he would have been entitled to under the treaty between the two nations unless a prompt settlement is effected

A Wanderer Returned

PHOENIX Ariz April 25—A C Webster, the Tempe merchant who so mysteriously disappeared about six weeks ago, leaving a horse and hat on the river bank to create the impression that he was drowned returned home this morning His wife some days ago received word that he was in a Kansas City hospital and immediately started to bring him home Public feeling is very strong against him

The Yorktown Sails for New York.

PHILADELPHIA April 25 Amid the tooting of whistles from other steam craft the cruiser Yorktown cut loose from her moorings at the League Island navy yard this afternoon and steamed down the river on the way to New York

Minister Pendleton Will Return.

BERLIN April 25—United States Minister Pendleton will take no part in the conference on Samoan affairs He presented his letter of recall to Emperor William this afternoon, and will immediately return from Berlin

For Booth and Barrett

DENVER April 25 Advance sales of seats for the Booth and Barrett engagement next week opened to-day They amounted to $4800 the largest in the history of the Tabor grand opera house

A Bather Drowned

HEALDSBURG April 25—Frank Weeks 18 years of age was drowned this afternoon while bathing in the Russian river The body was recovered

Purchase your tickets and reserve your sleeping car accommodation at No 121 First street corner Washington, office Northern Pacific Railroad.

LEAGUE GAMES.

Pittsburg, Cleveland and New York the Winners in Yesterday's Games

BROOKLYN, April 25—Brooklyn 9 Columbus 9 Game called in the ninth inning on account of the darkness.

PITTSBURG AGAIN WHIPS CHICAGO

PITTSBURG, April 25—Chicago as yesterday maintained a substantial lead up to the fifth inning

Gumbert pitched a good game, but his support was short at critical times

Beginning with the sixth inning Staley became very effective and ended the game by striking out the three last men at the bat

Score—Pittsburg 5 Chicago 4 Batteries—Pittsburg, Staley and Miller Chicago Gumbert and Flint

CLEVELAND DEFEATS INDIANAPOLIS

INDIANAPOLIS April 25—Cleveland's pitcher was more effective than his opponent and with good support won the game to day The attendance was small

Score—Indianapolis 4 Cleveland 10 Batteries—Indianapolis Burdick, Boyle and Daly Cleveland Beatin and Sutcliffe

A HEAVY SLUGGING GAME

NEW YORK April 25—Heavy hitting characterized the game at Jersey City to day The New York team did the best work with the bat and won the game

Score—New York 11 Boston 10 Batteries—New York Titcomb and Brown Boston Madden and Ganzel

BAY DISTRICT RACES

SAN FRANCISCO April 25—There was a fair crowd at the Bay District track this afternoon The track was good First race selling purse of $300 three fourths of a mile—Welcome won Kildare second Wanderer third time 1 16½

Second race 50-50 stakes three fourths of a mile stakes to be named after the winner if 1 14¼ was beaten Racine won Guido second Pluto third time 1 14¼

Third race purse $400 mile heats—First heat Wild Oats won Mozart second Nerva third time 1 42½ Second heat—Wild Oats won Mozart second Brady third, time, 1 4[illegible]

Sequello stakes, one and three eighths miles—Flood Tide won Ed McGinnis second Joe Hoye third time 2 22¼

LEXINGTON RACES

LEXINGTON, Ky April 25—The weather was cool to day the track heavy and the attendance good

Two year olds, five furlongs—Labrador won Teddy Venture second, Later On third time, 1 0[illegible]

Three year olds three quarters of a mile—Bettiso won May O second Sully O third time 1 17 The latter was given second place because May O fouled him

Free handicap seven-eighths of a mile—Catalpa won, Irish Dan second Famineth third time 1 3[illegible]

Three year olds and upwards, seven eighths of a mile—Castaway won, Pat Donovan second Maid of Orleans third time 1 36¼

MEMPHIS JOCKEY CLUB RACES

MEMPHIS, April 25.—The weather to-day was delightful The attendance was 4000. The track was fast.

All ages, three-quarters of a mile—Unite won, Artiste second, Rimini third, time 1 17

All ages, one mile—Syntax won Veena second Libert third, time 1 43¾

Two-year old colts one-half mile—Western won Riley second Blarney Stone third time 57¼

All ages, mile and an eighth—Brown Princess won, Kermesse second, Hallet third time, 1.58.

All ages, seven eighths of a mile—Clara Moore won Macauley second T J Rusk third time 1 1[illegible]

THE PRINCESS STAKES

LONDON April 25—The Princess stakes, handicap five furlongs was won by Porlock

RACES POSTPONED

WASHINGTON April 25.—To day's races were postponed on account of rain.

A SENSATION IN COURT,

In Connection With the Arkansas Ballot Box Frauds.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. April 25.—There was some thing of a sensation in the Federal court to-day when the grand jury marched into open court with C C Reid a young attorney of Morrilltown, and announced that they had asked questions about the Plummerville ballot box theft which he refused to answer

The question was "Did O T Bently have any conversation with you in relation to or did he tell you anything about the theft of the Plummerville ballot box?

In court Reid again refused to answer and the judge asked him if he and Bently sustained the relation of client and attorney to each other This Reid refused to answer The judge gave him until to morrow morning to answer one of the two questions

O T Bently is deputy sheriff and according to Taylor's confession, was one of the party who went from Morrilltown to Plummerville with the crowd that stole the ballot box

IT WAS INCORRECT

A Reporter Misrepresents ex President Cleveland in an Interview.

CHARLESTON, S C, April 25.—There appeared recently in a small weekly paper published in North Carolina what purported to be an interview with ex President Cleveland, in which he was alleged to have said that he would not accept the democratic nomination for the presidency in 1892, and that his public life was at an end

To a member of the editorial staff of a Charleston paper who forwarded to Cleveland the article contained in the North Carolina paper, the latter has written a letter, in which he says

I think it very unprofitable to attempt to correct errors and misrepresentations of newspaper interviews and in reply to your letter as to whether the alleged interview correctly represents what I said I will content myself with the statement that the report of the interview which occurred while I was en route to Florida is very inaccurate and misleading

THE FRENCH EXILE.

He Is Being Lionized in London, and Denies a Report.

LONDON April 25—In an interview Boulanger denies the report that he would immediately issue a manifesto explaining his intentions As yet he had not thought of doing so He is being lionized

NO LETTERS FROM FRANCE

LONDON April 25.—It is reported that the French government will arrest anyone found leaving the country with letters for General Boulanger, on the ground that it is a breach of the postal monopoly

THE ROCKAWAY BEACH HOTEL,

It Proves a Losing Investment, and Is To Be Torn Down

NEW YORK March 2—The Mammoth hotel at Rockaway beach which was built by the Rockaway Beach Improvement company in 1871 has been sold It is a frame structure three stories high 1850 feet long and faces the ocean It contains 899 sleeping rooms and stands on a plot of beach containing 140 acres It covers 1 000 000 feet. It has never made a dollar for its owners and has now been sold for $29,000 The building will be torn down

A HIGH-TONED SUICIDE

Clad in a Full Dress Suit, He Drowns Himself in Central Park

NEW YORK April 25.—Oliver Perry Lewis aged 21 drowned himself in the Central Park reservoir to day He was dressed in a clawhammer coat, white tie and other habiliments of full dress Before drowning himself he had fixed the day and hour of his funeral and himself sent out notices to friends asking them to attend It is supposed that he could not support his mother as he wished on his salary and therefore killed himself

TO ABOLISH POVERTY AND DEATH

George Francis Train's Latest and Wildest Illusion

NEW YORK April 25—George Francis Train proposes to abolish poverty and death by showing that a man can live on ten cents worth of potatoes and one cup of coffee daily provided he takes a Turkish bath He is putting this idea to a practical test, having lived for the last six days on this diet. He has, however lost two pounds of flesh daily

Threatened With Lynching

LINCOLN, Neb., April 25—Monday night an old popular colored man named Bob Woods, was found murdered John Taylor Charles Curtis and Woods's wife were arrested for the crime The colored people gathered to the number of 400 in the neighborhood of the jail and threatened to lynch the prisoners The militia was called out and guarded the jail all night last night An attempt may be made to-night.

Teemer and Gaudaur to Row

PITTSBURG April 25—John Teemer, the oarsman received articles of agreement to-day for a series of races with Gaudaur He is satisfied with the conditions and will sign the agreement to morrow It is proposed to row three races—two three and four miles—the winner of two to take $3000 The first race is to be rowed near St Louis June 8

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THE ALLIANCE SUNK.

She Was Run Down by the Steamer Danube.

NOT A PASSENGER WAS INJURED

The Collision was Caused by a Misunderstanding of the Signals—There Were Several Boats in a Bunch.

The steamer Alliance owned by the Portland & Coast Steamship Company, is high and dry on the beach on the south end of Swan's island, just below the city and there is a hole eight feet long, four feet wide and six feet deep in her starboard bow the result of a collision with the steamer Danube en route here from Victoria, which occurred a quarter of a mile this side of the breakwater of Willamette slough about 9 o'clock last night The Alliance immediately began to fill and sink, and was beached just in time The Danube was slightly damaged

HOW IT HAPPENED

The Alliance Captain Peterson in command, sailed from C street dock for Gray's harbor with twenty one passengers and a cargo of freight at 8 o'clock last evening

At the time the collision occurred the Danube, the Alliance and the river steamers R R Thompson and Lurline bound for Astoria were all within a radius of about 400 feet The Thompson had just whistled and passed the Alliance, and the Lurline was near by Captain Peterson was on the bridge of the Alliance The rest of the story of the collision will be told in the words of Captain L A Bailey who was on board.

CAPTAIN BAILEY'S STORY

"After the Thompson had passed us I heard two whistles which I thought were blown by her so I left my room abaft the pilot house and reaching the deck walked over to the starboard side to ascertain the cause

I saw the red light of the Danube not 100 feet ahead. The Alliance was pursuing a northerly course in the channel and the Danube was coming toward her at an angle of about forty five degrees. I do not know whether the Alliance and Danube exchanged signals

"When it was seen that a collision was inevitable the officers in charge of the vessels gave orders to back and the steamers were backing when they struck I think the collision was caused by a misunderstanding of the signals, so many vessels being in a bunch at one time.

ALL THE PASSENGERS SAVED.

Confusion reigned aboard the Alliance after the vessels came together The passengers soon saw that there was no particular cause for alarm. Capt. Bailey went at once to the wheel house and took command, and giving orders for a full head of steam, turned the Alliance's bow toward the island, less than a quarter of a mile away

In a few moments the steamer's nose was in the mud and the passengers were landed safely Nearly all of them boarded the steamer Lurline and were taken to Astoria. The other three, W. H. Summers Charles Johnson of Portland and Mr. Vail of Montesano, came up on the Danube, Johnson and Summers were on their way to Aberdeen W T to open a saloon Captain Bailey also came to the city, leaving Captain Peterson in charge of the vessel which lies in seven feet of water

THE ALLIANCE WILL BE RAISED

President Strong of the steamship company, said last night that the Alliance will be raised and repaired at once The steamer Gen. Miles will go on the route for the present and will sail from C street dock at 8 o'clock to night The undamaged portions of the Alliance's cargo will be loaded on the Miles.

PILOT G REED'S STORY

Pilot G Reed who had charge of the Danube at the time of the collision was found on board of the latter vessel at an early hour this morning, and asked for his version of the collision

"I would rather submit my report to the inspectors of hulls and boilers before saying anything on the subject" replied the captain But after a little persuasion he consented to making the following statement

"The collision occurred about 8 ¾ o'clock just as we were crossing what is known to river captains as Postoffice bar, in the Willamette river. We were on our way up the river at the time mentioned when suddenly I saw several boats ahead. One boat the nearest showed a red light. I was getting ready to blow my whistle when the steamer showing the red light, blew one whistle; that I immediately answered with one whistle, at the same time giving an order to port our wheel.

"We ran along on our selected courses for a space of time covering probably two minutes, when the river steamer R. R. Thompson, which was one of the boats approaching, blew two whistles, when the Alliance also blew two whistles. I did not answer either of these whistles for I did not know but what the Thompson was signaling to pass the Alliance, and the Alliance answering the Thompson's whistles. The Alliance on blowing the last whistles immediately showed me her green light but too late for me to starboard my helm I gave orders to stop and commenced to back at full speed when the collision occurred

We struck the Alliance abreast of her foremast cutting a deep hole in her She would have sunk if she had kept in the stream but she was beached immediately I backed right away from her and lowered my boats which I sent alongside of the Alliance to take off her passengers, but the Lurline, which it seems was coming down the river behind the Thompson, arrived about the same time and took off all the passengers with the exception of Captain Bailey and three others and proceeded on her way to Astoria. Captain Bailey and the three other gentlemen came aboard the Danube and we brought them up to this city with us

If the Alliance had kept on the course she first selected the accident would not have happened. Fortunately no one was hurt and the Danube escaped with but one of her bow places broken."

Captain John Hill of the steamer Danube, who overheard the story told by Pilot Reed, was asked to give his version of how the accident occurred. He said

You have Mr Reed's story He has told you just how the accident occurred and mine would only be a repetition of his I corroborate him in every particular

THE ALLIANCE'S CARGO

The cargo of the Alliance consisted of about ninety tons of all kinds of goods the greater portion being groceries and provisions The deck load consisting of a lot of coal oil vegetables and plaster is not under water and the passengers' baggage was not wet

The cost of raising and repairing the boat will probably reach $1,000 The Alliance is valued at over $25,000 and is insured for $20 000

THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS.

They Finally Refuse to be Present at the Centennial Ball

NEW YORK April 25—A man who is abundantly qualified by his connection with the centennial celebration committee to speak advisedly, told a *Tribune* reporter yesterday that the trouble with the diplomatic corps over invitations to the ball instead of having been settled satisfactorily as was stated in a recent document issued for publication by the entertainment committee had become so serious that the principal members of the corps had finally and positively refused to come.

Not a member of the diplomatic corps said he will be in attendance at the ball with the possible exception of the Brazilian minister, Baron D Itajuba or in his absence Senor Josea Ferreira DaCosta secretary of the legation

The trouble with the diplomatic corps originated in the omission by the entertainment committee to include to the foreign ministers invitations to the ball for the ladies of their families, as well as for themselves.

THE QUADRILLE OF HONOR.

NEW YORK April 25—The sixteen ladies who will dance in a quadrille of honor at the centennial ball according to the *Tribune* have been determined on as follows Mrs Benjamin Harrison, Mrs Levi P Morton Mrs. Grover Cleveland Mrs. Gracie King Mrs. Alexander Van Rensellaer Mrs. W. Bayard Cutting Mrs William Astor Mrs Cora Livingston Mrs. Newbold Morris, Mrs Eldredge Berry, Miss Louisa Lee Schuyler, Mrs Buchanan Winthrop Mrs Stuyvesant Fish, Mrs. William Jay Mrs. S V R Crugs and Mrs Alexander S. Webb,

Cannot Spare the Time

Nelson H Baker district attorney of Westchester Co New York writes

I have received many letters in reference to my testimonial lately published, commending ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS

I cannot spare the time to answer them in writing, therefore would ask to say through the press that I have found ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS invaluable as chest protectors and shields against coughs and colds. Furthermore I have found ALLCOCK'S PLASTERS unequaled for pains in the back and chest

British Delegates to the Conference

LONDON, April 25—It is officially announced that Sir Edward Malet British ambassador at Berlin and Mr Scott, British minister at Berlin, and Mr Crowe have been appointed delegates to the Samoan conference.

STATE AND TERRITORY

Last Day of the Grand Army Encampment.

A RAID ON SEATTLE GAMBLERS

Municipal Politics at Tacoma—Rich Gold Ore on Texada Island—Pendleton and the Hunt Subsidy—Etc.

SPOKANE FALLS, W. T., April [illegible].—The seventh annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic of Washington and Alaska, representing 2500 veterans of the war of the rebellion, closed here to-day. About 100 delegates were in attendance from [illegible].

The following department officers were elected:

Department commander—S. G. Cosgrove of Pomeroy, Garfield county.

Senior vice department commander—William McMicken of Olympia.

Junior vice department commander—W. A. Inman of Colfax.

Medical director—H. C. Bostwick of Tacoma.

Chaplain—J. H. Macomber of Spokane Falls.

Delegates to the national encampment at Milwaukee next August: at large—H. F. Garretson of Tacoma, I. T. Gilbert of Walla Walla, I. F. Sampson of Tacoma. Alternates—W. M. Redpath, of Spokane Falls; P. P. Carroll, of Seattle; M. D. Smith, of Spokane Falls.

Council of administration—O. B. Johnston, of Seattle; J. R. Hayden, of Olympia; John Geoghegan, of Vancouver; W. R. Brown, of Ellensburg; William Lind, of Walla Walla.

The staff officers are: Assistant adjutant general, S. K. Hull, of Pomeroy; assistant quartermaster general, H. C. Thompson, of Pomeroy; judge advocate general, S. C. Hyde, of Spokane Falls; inspector general, C. M. Barton, of Tacoma; chief mustering officer, C. J. Carroll, of Seattle.

The next encampment will be held at Ellensburgh the fourth Wednesday in April, 1889.

The report of the retiring department committee, under General John W. Sprague, of Tacoma, on the subject of pensions was ordered to be sent to both houses of congress, and a resolution was adopted expressing the hope that General Sprague would be soon restored to health, to mingle again with his comrades.

A resolution was adopted favoring the establishment of a Soldiers' home in the organization of the state of Washington, and the department unanimously favored the passage of a service pension bill by the congress of the United States.

THE RELIEF CORPS.

The Woman's Relief Corps of the territory, numbering eleven organizations, elected the following officers:

President, Mrs. Lucy A. Ide, of Spokane Falls.

Senior vice-president, Mrs. S. N. Tomlinson, Tacoma.

Junior vice president, Mrs. Lizzie R. Herrick, Seattle.

Secretary, Mrs. Lida B. Armstrong, Spokane Falls.

Chaplain, Mrs. Ellen Dorr Dayton.

Inspector, Mrs. Helen Burke, Seattle.

Councillor, Mrs. L. E. Nestelle, Ellensburgh.

Installing officer, Mrs. May Evans, of Walla Walla.

Delegate to the national encampment, Mrs. Jennie S. Holmes, Seattle.

ENCAMPMENT OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.

MARYSVILLE, Cal., April 25.—The opening day of the third annual encampment of the G. A. R. posts of Northern California brought many more people into town than the reception committee had calculated would arrive, and in consequence the hotels are crowded, but by to-morrow the committee will have secured accommodations for all.

General Gard and staff arrived early this morning. The train to-night from Sacramento brought three coaches filled with Grand Army men and their ladies.

This afternoon the baseball game drew several hundred people. The Mystics of Stockton, and the Marysvilles played, and the score resulted in favor of the former by 11 to 9.

In the evening a musical and literary entertainment was given, several hundred being turned away.

To-morrow all the guests will be driven over the country, and in the evening will be tendered a reception.

DEATH OF A G. A. R. MAN.

DENVER, April 25.—Lester H. Thompson, ex-senior vice commander of the New York department of the G. A. R., died here to-day, aged 48 years. He served in the Fifth and Seventh U. S. infantry, and since the war has been an ardent and prominent worker in Eastern Grand Army circles. The burial will be at Canandaigua, N. Y., Tuesday.

FROM SEATTLE.

A Raid on the Gamblers—The Bell Suicide, Etc.

SEATTLE, April 25.—Chief of Police Butterfield raided two gambling houses, the "M. & N." and the "Bank Exchange," saloons, about 10 o'clock to-night. In the first named place three faro dealers, John O'Day, Sigmund Clein and Peter Chandler, were arrested and their layouts confiscated. At the Bank Exchange William White and William Emerson, faro dealers, were arrested, and one layout and nearly $1000 in gold captured. The gamblers were all released on $50 bail each, and will have a hearing in the police court to-morrow afternoon.

The jury in the case of Lange, who was killed by the Tacoma express Tuesday night, to-day reported that they were unable to agree. It is understood that five jurors wanted to acquit the engineer of all blame, while the other was firm in the opinion that the engineer should be held responsible. The testimony of all the trainmen was that Lange was given due warning by the usual blowing of the whistle and ringing of the bell.

Mother Godfrey, mother general of the Sisters of Charity, arrived in Seattle to-night on an official inspection of Providence hospital.

Nothing new is to be told of the suicide of A. A. Bell, telegraphed yesterday. His sisters, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Hall, started from San Francisco on the steamer Walla Walla to-day, and the inquest will not take place till they arrive. Everything confirms the belief that Bell was temporarily insane when he committed the deed.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

Nomination of Municipal Officers at Tacoma.

TACOMA, W. T., April 25.—The democratic convention was held at the courthouse to-night, when S. A. Wheelwright, secretary of the chamber of commerce and one of the most popular men in the city, was nominated for mayor; Thomas Carroll, the present occupant of that position, for city attorney, and M. M. Taylor, late occupant of that position, for city treasurer. These are all strong nominations. George Balch was nominated for city surveyor, and W. C. Smith for street commissioner.

The first ward candidate for the council has not yet been named, according to the custom of that ward in staying apart from the rest of the city, but Linus E. Post was nominated from the second, J. M. Dougan from the third, and John Horsfall from the fourth.

APPOINTED COMMISSIONERS.

TACOMA, April 25.—Governor Moore has appointed Major Edward Hunter, formerly of Walla Walla, but now of Washington, D. C., H. M. Chase, of Walla Walla, and J. J. Browne, of Spokane Falls, commissioners to the centennial celebration in New York on the 30th inst.

BAKER CITY NEWS.

Mines Near Sparta Developing Well—A Coal Mine Near Town—Business Notes.

BAKER CITY, April 25.—The mines on main Powder are proving to be a big thing. They were discovered last year and large sums of dust are brought in by miners. The mines are near Sparta and in the bed of the river.

Dr. Atwood is making arrangements to open up his coal mine near this city.

The street car company is duly incorporated and work will begin at once putting down the track to the depot.

A. B. McCord & Co. have just received a car load of wagons, two car loads of stoves and two cars of hard wood for the local trade.

Messrs. Smith & Clarke are a new jewelry firm and are opening up a fine stock. They have been over different portions of the Northwest and prefer this place to start a business.

The hotel registers show that travel is three times as large as at this season last year.

McMunen & Cabin made another large shipment of lumber to Utah yesterday.

FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Rich Gold Ore on Texada Island—Victoria Notes.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 25.—Recent developments in gold quartz on Texada island are most encouraging. The ore in one claim is thickly impregnated with gold and in several pockets nuggets of considerable size were secured. The owners claim to have had to fill in the cavity with rock to prevent hundreds who desired to carry away specimens. Claims are located in many places, several of them giving promise of becoming very valuable.

NOTES.

The sealer Annie C. Moore arrived to-day with 320 skins. She will go to Behring sea.

Chipman, a Toronto sewerage expert, has been sent for by the council to give an opinion on the plans prepared by an English firm.

A barkeeper named Irving tried to commit suicide last evening by taking laudanum while temporarily deranged. He was restored.

THE WRECKED YAQUINA.

Whitelaw Sends Up a Corps of Divers, Who Will Try to Float Her.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Captain Whitelaw has sent up a corps of divers, engineers and helpers to Yaquina bay, and operations on the wrecked steamer of that name will begin at once. It is thought here that there is a possibility that the steamer may again be floated. She cost originally $200,000, and Whitelaw bought the hull and machinery for less than $3000.

RAISING A SUBSIDY.

Negotiations Now in Progress Between Pendleton People and Mr. Hunt.

PENDLETON, Or., April 25.—The committee to solicit the subsidy for the Hunt road met that gentleman Sunday. He said he would take $45,000 and certain parcels of ground owned by the city, including the right of way through Webb street. The committee have been engaged yesterday and to-day in soliciting subscriptions, and have raised $37,000. The city will doubtless grant the required grounds. Mr. Hunt has been telegraphed the result at Walla Walla, and it is expected and hoped that he will accept this amount and build his road into the city, which he says he can do within sixty days.

Agent Moorhouse is taking an inventory of the government property on the reservation, preparatory to taking control.

FROM CENTRALIA.

A Lively Bustling, Growing Inland Town—The Districting of Lewis County.

CENTRALIA, W. T., April 25.—Centralia is destined to be one of the largest inland towns in Western Washington, because it has a central location and excellent resources and we expect in the near future to be quite a railroad center. There is every prospect now that we will get the Port Townsend railroad. The Gray's harbor road is surveyed, the terminal point located and right of way agents are out on the line. A large force of graders are expected soon.

Tributary to Centralia is the third largest tract of timber in the territory. With extensive coal fields and a rich agricultural soil naturally adapted to fruit and vegetables, farming, and with an outlet to Gray's Harbor, Port Townsend and Tacoma and Portland by rail, this must become a city of no little importance in the near future.

The new hotel in the Railroad addition is nearing completion and when done will be by far the best hotel building between Portland and Tacoma.

The Baptists are building a church in the Railroad addition, also a number of residences and fine stores are going up there. The large sawmill located east of the addition and built by Bond, Stichell and Gelbel will start in about ten days. They will also attach a sash and door factory to their mill.

Steiger and Eckelson are building another sawmill east of town on the land of Mr. Butterworth.

Brick yards are in operation and it will not be long until we can have plenty of building material, either brick or lumber. There is more building going on in Centralia according to population than any town or city in Washington territory. Strangers throng our streets every day; the hotels are full and not a residence in the town for rent. We are on the most direct line of travel to Gray's harbor. The stage leaves here every day except Sunday for Montesano and goes through the same day.

A long felt want of this town is about to be supplied in the building of a public school. Plans and specifications are now being drawn and the building will be one that the growing city may well be proud of.

The Grace seminary grounds are being cleared preparatory to commencing the building. This ground is situated just north of Centralia Hights, on an elevation commanding a fine view of the town and surrounding country.

The population of Centralia has just about doubled the past six months and the indications are that the present population will double by January 1, 1890. Property is lower here than in any town of the same population in the territory, notwithstanding it has advanced from 1 to as much as 400 per cent. in some cases in six months. Everything looks favorable for a prosperous lively season at Centralia.

The districting is done for the constitutional convention, and not very satisfactory to a portion of Lewis county. Three precincts are carved out of Lewis and attached to Thurston county, forming the 24th district, while the balance of Lewis is joined to the eastern portion of Pierce for another district. Whether there was any motive in thus hashing up Lewis county remains to be seen further on. Lewis has a population sufficient for one district, which, of course, would have insured us three delegates in the convention, and Centralia would have had one. As it now stands we are at the mercy of the northern portion of the district, which holds the balance of power against us. We shall, however, claim the right to one delegate and expect Olympia to concede that right, we being the second largest town in the district.

News Items From Salem.

SALEM, Or., April 25.—There were filed in the secretary of state's office to-day articles of incorporation of the Oak Grove and Juniper Flat Ditch Company, object, to convey water from the White river through the farm and grazing lands of Oak Grove and Juniper flat; capital stock $15,000, in shares of $25 each, with J. Strein, Hampton Kelly, William McD. Lewis, Henry Durthich and Basil Delore incorporators.

T. Calvin Hyde, of Baker City, and G. W. Lyon, of Portland, have been appointed notaries public.

A mill for the manufacture of pressed brick is to be started to-morrow in North Salem, near the Fair grounds. It will have about 100,000 brick on hand in thirty days. It is expected to turn out 200,000 brick per month.

Willis Jordan, of criminal notoriety, and Jack Morgan, another boy, were arrested to-day in Polk county and brought back to this city by Marshal Ross on a charge of passing a forged order for $50 worth of clothing on G. W. Johnson, a clothing merchant. The order purported to be signed by Ben Hayden, of Polk county. Their preliminary hearing will be held to-morrow.

Spokane Falls Notes.

SPOKANE FALLS, April 25.—Articles of incorporation were filed to-day for the Washington Loan & Trust Company, with a capital stock of $100,000. The board of directors are W. P. Russell, C. L. Knapp, J. Warren Russell and Charles Russell.

The city authorities have granted consent for the glove contest between Thomas Stockley, of Colfax, and Doug Tousley, of Iowa. The battle will take place next Tuesday night.

Ferdinand Chabborn, of Helena, has purchased J. T. Wardner's interest in the Chloride mine for $4000.

Victoria Notes.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 25.—Alex Dunsmuir has been elected president of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, and James Dunsmuir president of the Union Coal & Mining Company, at Comox.

The sealing schooner Annie C. Moore has arrived with 320 skins, and will refit and proceed north.

The Albany Boys Are Coming.

ALBANY, April 25.—Company F, O. N. G., of this city, has accepted an invitation to attend the celebration at Portland next Tuesday, and on the morning train that day will take their departure for the metropolis. The company has about sixty members, all neatly uniformed.

Creditable to the Governor.

Governor Richardson, of South Carolina, on the 15th instant, granted a full and free pardon to W. C. Williams and Harrison Heyward, the two negroes who were convicted at a recent term of court in Pickens county, of the lynching of Manse Waldrop, a white man.

In giving his reasons for his action in this case, Governor Richardson said that he determined from the first that these men should not hang, and that he was influenced because of his desire to do full justice to the colored people. This was the first time any one had been convicted in this state for lynching, and it was the first time that negroes had lynched any one, and he would not have them made an example of when white men had not been punished. If these had been whites he would have given them a long term in the penitentiary, or if it had been the second time that a conviction had been had he would have punished them, but under the circumstances, where the negroes were ignorant and had had the example set them by whites, he could not in justice let the sentence of the court be executed. The governor received fifty-two petitions, signed by nearly 4000 persons, asking for pardon.

The World's "Billionaires."

New York Sun.

The last return of the great landowners of England, which puts the Duke of Westminster down as "her majesty's richest subject," with a fortune of £16,000,000 to justify the title, stirs a little reflection upon our own magnificence.

According to this showing there are not far from a dozen American citizens richer than the duke. To begin with, we have the two head members of the Astor family. Then there are two Vanderbilts, Cornelius and William, each of whom possesses a far bigger pile than $80,000,000. Then two Rockefellers, John and William, belong in this august class. A third gentleman in the same business, William J. Flagler, is another of the same kind. Then Leland Stanford probably belongs in this category likewise, and also Jay Gould, and there may be others whom we have omitted to mention from insufficient acquaintance with their affairs. On the whole England seems rather cheap when compared to America.

Mortgage Taxation.

Chicago Tribune.

The legislature of Michigan two years ago passed a law providing for an elaborate and expensive system of reporting mortgages for taxation. To put it in operation has cost the state $30,000 and to maintain it about as much. The result of this labor and expense was just what was prophesied while the bill was being discussed. The lenders on the mortgages simply shoved up the rate of interest high enough to cover the tax. The present legislature of Michigan sees how their folly works, and the house has passed by an overwhelming vote a bill for the repeal of an unjust and impolitic law. It is a wonder that the Michigan legislators should have been carried away two years ago by a false doctrine of such long standing, but their successors deserve credit for the quickness with which they have seen the mistake and are escaping from the blunder.

Opponents of Prohibition in Massachusetts.

Letter in New York Sun.

The rank and file of the opposition army to the constitutional amendment, men who are openly saying little but who have a strong conviction on the subject, are among the best citizens of Massachusetts. They embrace clergymen, college professors and presidents, scientists, writers, lawyers, bankers and thousands of men in every profession and calling in life. This great army of sensible thinking men have a lively recollection of the evils and moral degradation that resulted from the unfortunate experiments with prohibition years ago, and they are determined so far as lies in their power that the same evils shall not again befall the Bay state.

Mr. C. J. S[illegible], traveling salesman for Belford, Clark & Co., [illegible] had the misfortune to sprain [illegible] very badly. "I was suffering great pain [illegible] my wrist was badly swollen. A [illegible] bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm relieved [illegible] and reduced the swelling in one night. [illegible] my work and business [illegible] for which I am very grateful. [illegible] Chamberlain's Pain Balm from [illegible] experience. Sold by L. Blumauer & Co.

Senator Sherman said to a Pittsburg reporter that "the rejection of Mr. Halstead by the senate will not improve his chances for the governorship of Ohio, for the simple reason that he is not a candidate. Mr. Halstead doesn't want anything. He wasn't even anxious to go to Germany, and the honor came to him unsought."

WILL IDAHO COME IN?

Delegate Dubois Talks About the Wishes of His Constituents.

HOME RULE AND A DUTY ON LEAD

The Mormon Question in the Territory—Report of the Naval Commission—Northwestern Interests—Important Appointments—Etc.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 24.—The Examiner's Washington special says: Delegate Dubois, of Idaho, to-day expressed the opinion that the next congress would admit the territory into the union without doubt.

Continuing, he said: "We want home rule, full recognition of silver, a duty on lead, no matter whether or not it is mixed with silver or gold, and stringent laws and their enforcement against the Mormons, whom we regard as constituting a dangerous and disloyal government within our government.

"The republican party reflects our views exactly on some of these questions, while the democratic party does not seem to sympathize with us on any of them. President Harrison is adhering strictly to home rule, and I am of the belief that this, combined with the other causes I have mentioned, will carry Idaho for the republican party."

"How about the mormon vote?" was asked.

"Now you have touched upon the only question which gives me much concern," Mr. Dubois replied. "The fate of our constitution may depend on our manner of treating this question. There are a large number of Mormons in Idaho, 30,000 perhaps. Our people, regardless of politics, have passed legislative enactments which prohibits any one who belongs to an order, organization or sect which teaches, practices or encourages the crime of bigamy or polygamy, or any other crime defined by law, from exercising the elective franchise. That is the substance of the law and it disfranchises every member of the Mormon church.

"Non-Mormons of Idaho will not give up that law. They are loyally united to break down and destroy this treasonable organization, which is a disgrace and a perpetual menace to our form of government. We will put in our constitution a clause the effect of which will be the disfranchisement of the Mormons. Our fight will be on that clause. Eastern people do not and will not comprehend this Mormon question, and the Mormon church will have its paid attorneys there to befog them all they can. We are contending for principle, however, and will be aided by the fact that no one can defend Mormonism without defending polygamy, which is its corner-stone. We shall have the support of the moral element of the country, and during the debate will hope to open the eyes of the country to the full iniquity and treason of the Mormon church."

"If you left that question out of your constitution would it make your admission any easier?"

"Immeasurably so, but I know the temper of the people of Idaho too well: they will not leave it out. Nor should they. Statehood is not worth the surrender or compromise with this institution, and we would not deserve statehood if we made any."

APPOINTMENT NOTES.

W. M. Stone, of Iowa, Made Commissioner of the General Land Office.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Ex-Governor William M. Stone, of Iowa, has been appointed commissioner of the general land office.

POSTOFFICE INSPECTORS.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Division inspectors of the postoffice department to-day were appointed as follows: General Warren P. Edgarton, of New Jersey, assigned to Philadelphia, vice Timothy O'Leary, resigned; George A. Dice, of Illinois, assigned to St. Louis, vice B. F. Gulic, resigned; George L. Seybolt, of California, assigned to San Francisco, vice L. A. Kirkwood, resigned.

W. C. Baird, of Illinois, J. D. King, of Illinois, and J. O. Culver, of California, have been reinstated as postoffice inspectors of all mail depredations under civil service rule No. 10. They not having been separated from the service more than a year.

APPOINTMENTS RECOMMENDED.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Robert P. Porter, superintendent of the census, has recommended to the secretary of the interior the appointment of J. L. Stoddard as disbursing officer of the census. Stoddard is at present disbursing officer of the department of labor.

He has also recommended the appointment of W. C. Hunt as statistical expert. Hunt was formerly chief of the division of results of the Massachusetts census.

It is understood that both of these recommendations will be approved by Secretary Noble.

NORTHWESTERN INTERESTS.

Proposals for Building the Life-Saving Station at Point Adams.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The proposals for constructing the life-saving station at Point Adams were opened yesterday at the office of Superintendent Kimball, of the life saving bureau.

The following is the list of firms which responded, together with the amounts of their respective bids for building the station: James Hannah & Co., of San Francisco, $7485; Thomas R. & E. D. Bassett, of Oakland, $7800; James H. Carter, of Jefferson, Texas, $8651; William B. Headington, of Astoria, Or., $6974. As the bid of William B. Headington, of Astoria, is the lowest it is thought that he will undoubtedly be awarded the contract for the erection of the new station.

POSTAL NOTES.

The following Pacific coast postmasters have been appointed: W. Bradley, at Caldwell, Ada county, Idaho, vice T. W. Boone, removed; Emily A. Vaughn, at Burns, Grant county, Or., vice J. C. Parker, resigned; John H. Dukes, Hood River, Wasco county, Or., vice J. T. Prather, resigned; W. H. Mossman, at Chehalis, Lewis county, W. T., vice J. E. Willis, removed; Mrs. M. Sheff, at Elma, Chehalis county, W. T., vice J. J. Carney, removed. William H. Murray has been commissioned postmaster at Black Diamond, W. T.

THE NAVAL BOARD.

Its Report Will Probably Be Withheld Until Congress Meets.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The naval board appointed to select a site for a navy yard on the Northwest coast, having completed its labors, have returned to their respective former duties.

Lieutenant Kennedy, of the board, is devoting nearly his whole time to the report, and, although much headway has been made, he does not expect it will be ready for at least two months yet. There is some talk, he says, that when finished it will be withheld until congress meets.

THE TRANSFER OF INDIANS.

General Armstrong Now at the Lemhi Agency, Idaho.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—General Frank Armstrong, inspector of Indian affairs for the interior department, is now at the Lemhi agency, in Idaho, negotiating with the Bannock, Shoshone and Sheepeater Indians for a transfer from their present reservation to the Fort Hall reservation, where lands in severalty will be given them.

The agreement made with these Indians in 1882 was ratified by the last congress, relinquishing their reservation, but it had been so long negotiated that it was thought best to secure the consent of the Indians again. There are 560 of these Indians at the Lemhi reservation, which contains 68,000 acres which will be thrown open to settlement if they consent to the transfer.

An Interesting Pension Decision.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Commissioner of Pensions Tanner to-day rendered a decision by which the pension of Henry Dembetz will be increased from $30 to $72 per month. The pensioner in this case has been receiving a pension of $20 per month for what is known as amputation of both feet. This amputation is the removal of the entire foot, with the exception of the heel bone and integuments of the heel which are brought forward to cover the ankle joint. The case was presented to the commissioner to-day, and he held that the legal distinction between the loss of so much of the feet as was experienced in this case, and the total loss of feet, was merely a technical difference and that claimant was entitled to a pension of $72 per month. This decision will apply to a number of other cases of like nature.

The Armes Court-Martial.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The Armes court martial at its meeting to-day read over the records of yesterday's proceedings and went into secret session. The result was the agreement upon a verdict, and the court adjourned to await the action of the secretary of war and the president upon their findings.

Soon to Start for the Coast.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—It is understood that the senate committee on our relations with Canada will start for the Pacific coast within a few days. There will be fifteen people in the party, including Senators Hoar, Hale, Allison, Dolph, Pugh, Butler and Voorhees, and their ladies.

An Army Order.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The major general commanding the army has ordered that hereafter all arms, ordnance and quartermaster stores and camping equipage issued to states and territories be turned over to the quartermaster's department for transportation, to be borne by the government.

THE JACKSON-CARDIFF FIGHT.

Odds of Ten to Six Given in Favor of the Former.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—As the day for the Jackson-Cardiff contest approaches the excitement seems to grow more intense. There is no doubt that Cardiff is in as good a fix as he ever was in his life. Whichever way the fight goes, it is expected that he will have made a grand showing of what training and science combined can accomplish.

Peter Jackson is in perfect condition, and looks forward to the fight with confidence. He now weighs 194 pounds. Odds on Jackson, ten to six, are generally accepted as the market price. Cardiff's followers say that to-morrow night, when the fight occurs, betting will be even money.

A TOUGH MURDERED.

A Career of Crime That Ended in the Customary Manner.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—John Whalen, an ex-convict, was shot and killed early this morning by James Wilkenson, alias Tug Wilson, on Market street, near Fourth. Wilson claims that Whalen struck him with a loaded cane, and that he shot in self defense. Whalen's wife was present when the shooting occurred. All three were under the influence of liquor, Wilson and Whalen having been on a spree together for several days. Wilson was arrested, as were also Mrs. Whalen and Max Hirschbridt, who were detained as witnesses.

Whalen, the murdered man, was by occupation a barber or barkeeper, according as he felt inclined. Lately he had not been working much. His reputation was one of the worst, his criminal career commencing with his boyhood, when he was several times convicted of petty larceny. He resided in Napa for a time, and in 1882 was sent from that town to the San Quentin state prison for three years on a charge of burglary. Almost immediately after his release he committed another crime in that city, for which he was given a year in the house of correction. He got out of the latter institution in July, 1887. For some time past he has been living with his so-called wife. He was a native of England, aged [illegible], and was a cousin of the man who murdered him.

JOAQUIN MILLER'S REASONS.

He Tells a Reporter Why He Refused the Position of Forestry Commissioner.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—When asked his reasons for declining the appointment as forestry commissioner of California Joaquin Miller said: "I came to California for rest and not for dignity. That is my first and principal reason for refusing to accept the office offered me. I consider that I could do but little good in that position and probably would create much ill will. I would be but one out of three, and I should demand considerable reform in the commission.

"In the first place, there is a clerk in that department who receives $1500 a year salary, and has to be sent abroad for the sake of his health. I don't think that is right. Then they have another clerk there who gets $600 a year for doing about four hours' work per month. That does not meet with my views. If I took hold of the matter I would remove the present officials and have somebody there who knows how to plant a tree.

"I would have the department on this side of the bay, where there are trees, but you see I would get into hot water over all this, for, although the other members of the commission no doubt are very estimable gentlemen, it is probable that they would not agree with me in my views. I have already twice refused the offer."

CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS.

Personal and General Notes.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—At a special meeting of the Calvary Presbyterian church it was decided to accept the refusal of Rev. Dr. John Hemphill, of Philadelphia, their former pastor, to whom a call has been extended, which was refused because the church was divided on the proposition.

Leonard Hasbrook this afternoon committed suicide by hanging. It is supposed that the deed was the result of despondency on account of the fact that he had not lived with his wife for the past fifteen months.

The Southern Pacific will not buy the Altadena road from Pasadena to Los Angeles, built by private individuals, who abandoned it when they found that they did not know how to run it.

A man named Wolcott, who arrived from Colorado Saturday last, was removed from his lodgings this morning to the pesthouse suffering from smallpox. This is the first case reported since March 24.

T. Carey Friedlander, secretary of the produce exchange, and his friend, Harry Winter, from New York, were each fined $20 in court to-day for disorderly conduct on the streets a few nights since.

It is reported that Dick Creighton, the convicted jury briber, is in Honolulu. The passengers of the steamer Alameda say that he boarded the vessel at Melbourne and left it at Honolulu. One gentleman, who conversed with him, says that he is very tired of his life.

The agent of the California Society for the Suppression of Vice has returned from Portland, where he has been as the prosecuting witness in the case of the United States vs. Bories before the Federal grand jury.

The second Albani concert of the season at the Grand opera house equaled in brilliancy the initial performance. Mme. Albani surpassed her splendid efforts of Monday night and achieved spontaneous indorsement. Two extra performances are announced for Monday and Wednesday of next week.

The government fish commission's steamer Albatross arrived here to-day, after a cruise of a few months along the Southern and Lower California coasts. Captain Tanner reports having discovered a number of facts relative to the fishing banks and the habits of fish that will interest all fishermen.

To Prevent the Erection of Electric Light Poles.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—City and County Attorney Flournoy has commenced suit in the superior court in behalf of the city against the Electric Improvement Company to enjoin the latter corporation from digging holes in the public streets and erecting electric light poles. It is alleged that the poles or masts are obstructions and nuisances, and that their erection and maintenance is in violation of the law. It is also desired that the poles now standing should be removed.

This suit is an offset to the suit brought recently by the Electric company enjoining the chief of police from interfering with the erection of poles.

Indicted by the Grand Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—James W. Silk, superintendent of the Industrial school, was indicted by the grand jury to-day. The charges against Silk are not made public, but it is unofficially learned that one of the charges is appropriating to himself money and clothing left by friends for the prisoners.

Francis Fitch, the attorney, was also indicted for obtaining money by false pretenses.

A Fatal Runaway.

STOCKTON, April 25.—A ranch hand, named David Powell, was killed last night by a runaway accident five miles from here. He was on his way to the ranch where he was employed, and was driving a pair of horses in a light spring wagon, and was thrown out, breaking his neck and crushing his skull. He was about 50 years of age, and leaves a family.

American Association Games.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—St. Louis 10, Cincinnati 5.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—Kansas City 16, Louisville 5.

BALTIMORE, April 25.—No game on account of rain.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—No game on account of rain.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Arrived—Steamer San Pedro, Tacoma.

Departed—Steamer Walla Walla, Victoria; steamer George W. Elder, Port Townsend.

The Trial Trip of the Charleston.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Efforts are being made by the Union Iron Works to have the Charleston ready to start on her trial trip on the 30th inst., the date of Washington's Inaugural.

Acquitted.

SAN DIEGO, April 25.—Canepa, charged with the murder of Magnoli, a fellow Italian, January 30th, was acquitted this morning.

Justice Prevails.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 17.—James M. Roman had two children by Frances Ebbe while she was still owned by another man thirty five years ago. He then bought her and the children for $3000. He continued to live with her till his death, and left her and their ten children all his property, consisting of $15,000 cash and a good farm in this county. His widowed sister's daughter was brought up by Roman and is now Mrs. Mary Hydron, of Terre Haute, Ind. She sued for his estate, valued at $30,000. The jury were out only ten minutes, and returned a verdict for the defendant.

The Coming Summer Resort.

The Oysterville *Journal* has the following: "Joe Ben Lane has sold forty acres of his land just North of Long Beach, to Donald Macleay, Dr. Barber, George B. Markle and others, for $16,000, or $400 an acre. These gentlemen, we are informed, propose to expend from $50,000 to $75,000 additional in creating their place into a summer resort that will equal the far famed Long Branch on the Atlantic. A magnificent hotel is one feature. Surely our peninsula is coming to the surface."

A Defaulting Treasurer.

NEENAH, Wis., April 23.—There is no longer any doubt that Theodore Palpke, the late city treasurer, is a defaulter. A few days after his election Palpke left the city to be absent for a couple of days, but no word has been received of him by any one save his wife, who has just received an epistle from him dated at Vancouver's Island, saying that he will not return home and that he is a defaulter. It is believed that the shortage will reach $5000, and perhaps more.

Not a Secret Ballot.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The objection to the Australian plan of voting, that men who cannot read and write will have to disclose the secret of their ballot when they ask for aid in preparing it, is easy to answer. There is no secret about the ballot of such men; they always vote the straight democratic ticket.

What Mr. Cleveland Paid for Defeat.

Decatur (Ind.) Journal.

It is said that Mr. Cleveland's salary in his new office is $4 per day, so he will have to hustle 2500 days to make back the amount that he squandered in the last campaign.

The Silverton *Appeal* makes the following point in reference to the game law: "Our farmers complain that the law protecting grouse and pheasants, which expires July 15 each year, gives them no opportunity to hunt, as harvest keeps them too busy from a month to six weeks during the best season. Their grain fattens the birds and the city sportsmen come out and bag all of the game. It is a fact that a Portland sportsman club controls all legislation in regard to the [illegible] and seasons of bird hunting, [illegible] the law is not [illegible] observed [illegible]. The statement about a Portland club is not true in fact [illegible] been passed for the protection of game [illegible] interest of [illegible] of the state, [illegible] season has been fixed solely for the purpose of protecting game during breeding."

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THE NEW TERRITORY

Scenes and Incidents at Guthrie and Other Towns.

NEWS NOTES FROM KINGFISHER

A Contest Probable Over Nearly Every Quarter Section—Officials Who Betrayed Their Trust Will Probably Lose Their Claims.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—The *Times* Guthrie special says: Guthrie is thriving. A dozen new and substantial houses have been erected, and the sound of the hammer greets one on every side. The two banks are doing a good business, and at the postoffice things are running more smoothly.

Congressman Weaver, of Iowa, was here to-day, and addressed a large crowd, advising the settlers to organize and to provide for a local government at once.

To supply water it was ordered at a meeting of the committee on public order that a public well be dug on each half section of the townsite.

The citizens of West Guthrie held an election yesterday. James Dooley, of Iowa, was elected mayor and a full ticket, including councilmen, was chosen.

At 8 o'clock this morning there were 425 men in line at the land office, and at [illegible] there were 233 men in line at the postoffice, 500 having already been waited on.

AT KINGFISHER.

Rival Townsites Springing up—The Lawyers Expecting a Harvest.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—The *Times* Kingfisher special says three more companies of infantry have been ordered there. There is no disorder, and the troops are merely sent as a precautionary measure.

The first baby was born yesterday. It first saw the light in a wagon, and was christened Oklahoma Lewis. The parents are from Texas.

A number of settlers have claimed the north half of this section as a townsite and have named it Kingfisher. They have elected a mayor and council, and are running opposition to the original Kingfisher.

John A. Blair, secretary of the Cherokee live stock association, and three others have entered a section between here and the strip line. It is said the Rock Island will build a depot on the site. One of the Blair party, who paid $300 for a lot, was chased off by a settler who had first taken possession. There are three or four contests on nearly every claim, and land lawyers are preparing for a harvest.

Reports of murders come in, but none of them have yet been sustained.

CONTESTS IN OKLAHOMA.

Nearly Every Quarter Section of Land in That Territory Will Be Involved.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Commissioner Stockslager, of the general land office, to-day said that from the present indications the contests over land claims in Oklahoma would ultimately involve nearly every quarter section of land in that territory. This being the case, he thought it probable that the department would make Oklahoma contest cases a separate class, and dispose of them at once. Otherwise, in the ordinary course of business, it would likely be eighteen months or two years before they could be reached. The contests in which abandonment is charged could not be passed upon until after the expiration of six months, as the law does not recognize absence from a claim for a shorter period than six months as abandonment. But cases in which there are charges of fraud or violation of the president's proclamation by going into the territory prior to April 22 could be tried and disposed of at once.

AN INVESTIGATION ORDERED.

There is Such a Thing as Being a Little Too Sharp.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Immediately upon the receipt of the press reports that government officials and employes in Oklahoma used their authority to secure prior rights in the lands, the president and Secretary Noble telegraphed the special agents now in the territory to make a thorough and prompt investigation, and immediately notify the secretary of their findings. A report is expected during the week.

Secretary Noble said that not the least shadow of injustice to settlers would be tolerated for a moment. As soon as the facts could be ascertained, if an official were implicated in any wrong doing the action of the government will be very prompt.

OKLAHOMA NOTES.

Suicide of a Man Who Failed to Get a Claim—Indians Encouraging Immigration.

WINFIELD, Kan., April 25.—An unknown man, apparently crazy, startled pedestrians this afternoon by drawing a razor across his throat, inflicting a slight gash. Later he shot himself through the head and died this evening. From papers found, it was learned that he was Silas B. Kennedy, from Illinois. Two men in the city to-day said they had accompanied Kennedy from St. Louis to Guthrie, and all three had failed to get claims. It is supposed that the dead man's mind was deranged by his failure.

EVERYTHING QUIET AT OKLAHOMA.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The secretary of the interior to-day received the following telegram, dated to-day, from the special agents of the department at Guthrie: "Oklahoma—Everything here is in a quiet condition. The exclusion of liquor has given peaceful order to the community. The landoffice here is moving smoothly. The Washington force is invaluable."

GIVEN LOTS BY THE INDIANS.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—The *Times* Purcell special: The band of disappointed home seekers returning from Oklahoma are obtaining lots from the Indians in the Chickasaw and Creek nations. Many of the Indians welcome white settlers, and some are said to favor the allotment in severalty of their entire reservation.

A HISTORICAL MARVEL.

The State of Washington's Progress Since 1836—Its Possibilities.

Rev. Dr. William Burrows, the author of the volume on Oregon, in the *Commonwealth Series*, says that "the new state of Washington is a historical marvel, but it is just like the United States to produce it." As he wrote this sentence there lay before him a letter written in 1838, by Mrs. Marcus Whitman, giving an account of her journey over the plains and Rocky mountains to Oregon that year. She was one of the two white women who first visited this far West. Two years later Dr. Cushing Eells and family were 129 days in reaching Dr. Whitman's missionary station at Walla Walla by the same trail. The Oregon country was then the British Columbia, Washington, Oregon, Idaho and part of the Montana of to-day, occupied by the Hudson Bay Company under a treaty of joint occupancy between the United States and Great Britain. The country was "without a home made potato, or apple, or spoonful of wheat." The first wheat raised near Walla Walla, before Dr. Whitman built his mill, was ground as in Palestine 3000 years ago.

Dr. Burrows goes on to describe Washington as it is to-day, a territory larger than all New England, with an ocean shore line of 1492 miles, lying in the latitude of sunny France—farther south than England—where out-door flowers are in bloom all winter and apples of the second crop the same year are sometimes gathered. There are about 1200 miles of railroad, carrying last year about 979,606 passengers, coal mines annually producing 2,500,000 tons, undeveloped gold and silver mines of great value, an abundance of wheat of fine quality, hops, sweet potatoes, tobacco, peanuts, melons, peaches and other fruits and vegetables, salmon fisheries, lumber and stock, and all the elements of a self-sustaining commonwealth, and all in a fine climate and under the control of the dominant race of the world. When comparing our growth with that of Great Britain Gladstone said "America is passing us by at a canter." This territory, soon to become a state, is, as Dr. Burrows has said, a natural and legitimate product of the United States. A marvel here, it would be impossible anywhere else. As Allison said in his history of Europe, referring to the discovery of gold in this country:

"How mysteriously, while Europe rears its population and fulfills its civilizing mission, these realms which have been concealed from its eyes, divulged to us as a civilization, needs the solution of its problem, a vent for feverish energies baffled in the crowd, offering bread to the famished, hope to the desperate, in truth, enabling the new world to redress the balance of the old. Here the actual Æneid passes before our eyes. From the hearts of the exiles scattered over this hardier Italy—

A race from whence New Albion's sons shall come
And the long glories of a future Rome."

Handsomely Vindicated.

"The Arizona Kicker" in the Detroit Free Press.

Major Jim Smith created a sensation by descending from the [illegible] as it reached town last Friday evening. We had no sooner notified him that his subscription to *The Kicker* had expired than he handed us two big silver dollars for a renewal.

"The major has put in the past year in state prison, having been sent there by mistake, as his friends are convinced. He served his term like a man, and has returned to the bosom of his family and society. He has cards out for a 'high coffee' day after to-morrow, and the elite will be there in legions."

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RAILROAD REGULATION.

New York Tribune.

The farmers and merchants of the West who expected great benefits from the regulation of railroads by state and national authority appear to be at least as much dissatisfied as they were before the era of regulation began. It is curious now to read their passionate denunciations and complaints and to note that the precise changes with which they find most fault are those which were predicted by competent railroad men, before the interstate act was passed, as unavoidable results of that act. Side by side with their complaints in many Western journals may be found the declarations of railroad presidents who have formed the Interstate Association for the avowed purpose of assisting in the strict and impartial enforcement of the law. In most cases these railroad men do not give expression to any hostile feeling regarding the law or the interpretation of the commission. Those who seem to be least friendly to the policy of the act advocate its strict enforcement on the ground that needed modifications can in that way be most surely reached. But many more of them appear to consider the law a good thing for the railroads, though less helpful to the public than its advocates expected.

The Western farmers have learned by sad experience that the act does not secure them any higher price for their products. Rates from most points to the seaboard are lower than they were before the act passed, but not a single benefit goes to the farmers. Whether the speculators get it all, or millers, or consumers here or in Europe, this at least is certain, the farmer gets none of it. But the most distant of them find that special rates which were formerly made for their encouragement have gone never to come back, and other farmers who are more conveniently located with reference to lines of transportation and markets are able to undersell them more than before. A relative benefit to these, as respects transportation to common markets, is in turn more than balanced by still greater advantages which accrue to other farmers yet nearer the seaboard. In brief, the tendency of the old plan of unlimited competition was to annihilate distance and to afford to all access to markets at rates more nearly the same than the railroads are now permitted to make. The greater number of farmers find that they have lost benefits which under free competition they enjoyed.

The course of trade has been revolutionized all over the West. Nearly every distributing town from the greatest to the least has lost some appreciable share of the traffic it used to have, and its merchants feel the loss keenly. They can no longer get the special rates, because doing business at points of competition, through which they were formerly enabled to undersell the dealers in smaller towns, and so a much larger proportion of the trade than before is done by local dealers direct with Eastern manufacturers and wholesalers. But this is only one of countless complicated changes which the law seems to have caused in the relative position of merchants in different towns. Some have suffered far more than others, and while losses in certain branches of trade are at times more than balanced by gains in others, perhaps it may be broadly recognized as a rule that the most energetic and enterprising towns and business men who were able under the old method to get the greatest advantages, now suffer most by their withdrawal. Whether the public gets cheaper goods on the whole may be doubted.

Western opinion is not yet prepared to admit that the evil and loss are necessary consequences of the law. On the contrary, there is a general belief that the railroads could somehow make things infinitely pleasanter if they would obey the law in a different way. The same spirit is seen regarding the unwelcome consequences of state legislation and of rates established by state commissions. The railroads cut down their service, run fewer trains, employ fewer hands and make less effort to secure a traffic which has been made relatively unprofitable. The great inconveniences which follow are attributed, not to state laws or commissions or to their errors, but to a supposed disposition of the railroads to make the worst of things. It is scarcely necessary to say that thus far the policy of regulation by state or national authority has hardly realized the hopes of its advocates.

The Preacher and His Work.

New York Tribune.

"No preacher can touch the heart of this age who believes that the last word in theology was spoken 300 years ago," remarked a clergyman to me the other day. "For the man who would persuade his fellow men must deal with living issues and living thought, and not with a cut and dried system, however perfect it may be. He must throw some of his vivid personality into the doctrine he preaches if he would make these doctrines vital facts to his hearers. A preacher can not ladle out a truth as he would soup to the people, and expect that they will accept it. He must so color it with his own thought, and quicken it with his own personal experience that it will come to them as a tremendous living fact of to-day. The preacher who does this will gain a hearing, no matter how wedded to dogma he may be, and the preacher who fails in this will make no permanent impression on the world, no matter how unorthodox his creed may be."

Is It Bullets or Bluster?

Globe-Democrat.

Russia claims to have a gun which will fire 480 bullets a minute and exterminate a large army in two hours. This boast bears a suspicious resemblance to the claim made by Napoleon III in 1869 for the mitrailleuse, a weapon which in the Franco-German war proved a ridiculous failure, and which has seldom been heard of since.

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New buildings are being erected or in contemplation. La Grande has greater resources than Decatur, Jacksonville or Galesburg, Illinois, or Iowa City, Ottumwa or Marshalltown, Iowa, each of which are inland towns with from 10,000 to 20,000 people. La Grande has now about 2200 inhabitants, and if her resources and possibilities had been known this population WOULD HAVE MORE THAN DOUBLED.

There is more available agriculture acreage tributary to La Grande yet to be employed, and all of it equivalent to prairie land, than there is now under cultivation. The trade of a farming population from the valley and adjacent counties of about 20,000 to 23,000 get their supplies at La Grande now. Does not this suggest a possibility of success for you in your business? If so we want you to come. Room for all and bonanzas for manufactories.

We would not invite you to divide our own trade with you if we did not know there was room for you. We want farmers also, and here they have a chance to pay a mortgage, if they have one to pay. Tell us what you seek to establish and we will answer you promptly. We are a committee designated to answer letters of inquiry, but we would prefer meeting you in person to show you the magnificent Grand Ronde Valley.

Address A. P. FULLER, Mayor; M. S. BLOCK, Secretary Board of Trade; W. H. McDONALD, Cashier La Grande National Bank.

THE COMING CELEBRATION.

A Committee Meeting Held Last Night—A Call for Decorations—Proposed Line of March.

The committee of arrangements for the centennial celebration held a meeting last evening. The appended was given for publication:

The committee of arrangements for the celebration of the centennial of the inauguration of General George Washington as the first president of the United States, ask the citizens of Portland to assist in every way to make the day a memorable success, and respectfully urge that inasmuch as the day has been made a legal holiday by proclamation of the president of the United States and the governor of Oregon, that all business be suspended on that day in order that all may have an opportunity to take part in the celebration. The committee also ask all public spirited citizens to decorate their places of business and residence, especially if located on the line of march.

WM. KAPUS, Chairman.

THE LINE OF MARCH.

From Sixth street, corner of Salmon, north on Sixth to B street, east on B to Third street, north on Third to C street, east on C to First street, south on First to Montgomery street, west on Montgomery to Fifth street, north on Fifth past reviewing stand on east side of Fifth opposite the postoffice building, from which point the column will be reviewed by his excellency, Sylvester Pennoyer, governor of Oregon, to Morrison street, west on Morrison to the Tabernacle, at which place the public exercises will be held and the column disband.

ASSIGNMENTS OF POSITIONS.

Acceptances have been received from a large number of organizations, by the committee of arrangements for the Centennial celebration; assignments of these organizations to positions in column are now being made, notice of which will be sent to each with full instructions as to order of parade and all other necessary details, at an early date.

PICKED UP IN SHIPPING CIRCLES.

The Willamette Chief—O. R. & N. Co.'s Wharf Boat—Columbia Sailed—Oregon Due.

The steamer Willamette Chief left for the Cascades yesterday morning, having in tow two barges just finished, by John Steffin, for the Warner Canning Company. One of the barges has a flat wheel construction on it, while it is the intention to rig the other in a like manner.

The repairs to the O. R. & N. wharf boat have been completed, and she will be put into service to-morrow unloading the steamer Oregon. Care will hereafter be taken that in unloading the wharf boat, that she may not be again listed over and sunk.

The steamer Columbia sailed for San Francisco last night, carrying away about 1000 tons of freight.

The Oregon is due this evening. She will sail next Monday night.

The crew of the German bark Solide were engaged yesterday in discharging rock ballast on the wharf at Kinney's cannery. They used a lunch basket and a small windlass for hoisting it out, and it was coming out at the rate of about steen tons a day. They will finish about the time the "frost is on the pumpkin, and the fodder's in the shock," if they continue at the speed they were working at yesterday.—*Pioneer.*

The schooner Sparrow arrived at Astoria Wednesday, from Eureka, Cal. She is loaded with redwood consigned to a Portland firm.

The bark Kitty arrived in port yesterday from China, via San Francisco.

The schooner Mary Dodge, which sailed from Astoria Tuesday, drifted around off the bar all that day and part of the next in a dead calm.

The steamer Clara Parker, which has been laid up for repairs at Astoria, is again afloat.

MOTIONS SET FOR HEARING.

A List of Cases and the Time Fixed When Each Will Come Up.

The following motions have been set for hearing in the state circuit court:

Weed vs. Heintz; defendant allowed till April 26 to set aside referee's report and file objections.

Roth vs. N. P. Lumber Company; defendant allowed till April 24 to file bill of exceptions.

State vs. Buckley; demurrer to indictment, April 25.

Buchanan vs. P. & W. V. Ry Co.; motion to strike out parts of complaint, April 27.

Wheeler vs. P. & W. V. Ry Co.; defendant allowed till April 27 to prepare bill of exceptions.

Vanzante vs. Bevis et al.; demurrer to complaint, April 27.

Moakler vs. P. & W. V. Ry Co.; demurrer to complaint, April 27.

Spaulding vs. P. & W. V. Ry Co.; demurrer to complaint, April 27.

Walker et al. vs. Taggart et al.; allowed to April 27 within which to partition.

Korn vs. Mount Hood Laundry Company; demurrer to complaint, April 27.

Marquam vs. Strong; demurrer to complaint, April 27.

Thompson vs. Rathbun; to be argued, April 29.

Weed vs. Heintz; motion to confirm referee's report, April 29.

State vs. Cody; defendant allowed till April 30 to move for new trial.

Reardon vs. Reardon; demurrer to complaint, April 29.

Danner vs. Bowman; demurrer to answer, April 29.

Piggott & Brown vs. Tice et al.; defendant, Schaffer, allowed till April 30 to answer.

Aylesworth et al. vs. Luscish; plaintiff allowed until May 1 to amend.

Bartel vs. Matthias; defendant allowed until May 4 to answer.

Dall vs. Eastman et al.; plaintiff allowed until May 8 to amend.

Sam Lung Ling Co. vs. Kwong Sang Wa Co.; plaintiff allowed till June 14 to file bill of items, and defendant till June 20 to answer.

THE STATE REFORM SCHOOL.

The Governor Says the Commissioners Have Not Yet Selected a Site.

Governor Pennoyer, who is one of the state reform school commissioners, was asked yesterday what had been done toward establishing the school as provided by the law passed by the last legislature.

"We have done nothing definite yet," said he. "We have examined a site at Lafayette and several around Salem, but have made no selection."

"Where will the school be located?"

"I cannot tell just now."

"Do you think it will prove of any benefit?"

"I think that if managed properly it will be an essential and indispensable institution. There are a number of young boys in the penitentiary who should have different associations, if possible. Their wayward tendencies could be better checked in a reform school than in a penal institution."

THE SEAT OF POLK COUNTY.

A dispatch from Dallas, in yesterday's paper, told of the official examination by the county commissioners of the petition and remonstrance having reference to the proposed new court house. Speaking of this matter, a Polk county man said yesterday:

"Two bills authorizing the people of Polk county to vote for the relocation of the county seat were presented to the last legislature, but both were defeated. We need a new court house, but I doubt if one will ever be built until the county seat is located permanently at some point or other. Eight years ago the question was submitted and Dallas got away with the plum, but the country has settled up since then and several towns have come to the front as aspirants for the county seat. If it is ever submitted to a vote of the people Dallas and Independence will be the principal places voted for. The last legislature might just as well have submitted the question as not, because a feeling of uncertainty will prevail until it is settled."

GOV. PENNOYER TO THE RESCUE.

His Prompt Action Saves the State Its Share of the Great New York Feast.

Governor Pennoyer was in a fearful state of mind the other night. He stood on the west portico of the state house at Salem and saw the glorious orb of day fade away before the shadowy forces of Nox, while its mellow beams gilded the Waldo hills and made the trees and the shrubs and the grasses, yet dripping from the effects of a generous downpour, smile as they never smiled before.

The governor was not sad, neither was he over jubilant, nor was he admiring the beautiful sunset. He was meditating. Visions of thousands of uniformed men marching down Broadway, New York, celebrating the centennial of the inauguration of President Washington, flitted through his mind. He saw the sidewalks thronged with wonder-stricken spectators, decked in holiday attire. Everybody was in a gleeful mood, and he had visions of men throwing their hats high into the air and yelling themselves hoarse in honor of the father of their country. The cause of the governor's meditation was the following telegram, which a messenger had just delivered:

NEW YORK, April 23.

Sylvester Pennoyer, Salem, Or.:

The entertainment committee will assign to another your seat at the banquet unless you telegraph your acceptance by Wednesday night.

CLARENCE W. BROWN, Secretary.

As Governor Pennoyer had taken time by the forelock only a few hours before and telegraphed to Mr. Brown that Senators Mitchell and Dolph would represent Oregon at the celebration, he felt relieved when he saw that he had saved to the state its share of the big feast and had narrowly escaped being one of Ward McAllister's "400" for one night only.

BUILDING ACTIVITY AT PORT TOWNSEND.

Over a Million Dollars' Worth of Buildings Planned and To Be Erected.

Buildings whose cost will aggregate over $1,000,000 are in progress or will soon be under construction within the corporate limits of Port Townsend. This is the great year for local enterprise, and permanent improvements will be limited only by the capacity of the brick yards at Point Wilson, the stone quarry on the opposite side of the bay, the Port Townsend sawmill at Point Hudson, the iron works adjoining, and mechanics to do the work. One day last week a correspondent made the rounds of the architects and builders and obtained the following lists:

Whiteway & Schroeder, architects, have the following work in hand:

R. M. Caines—Brick business block, three stories and a basement, 51x90 feet, corner Water and Quincy streets, $17,000.

A. H. Tucker—Brick business block, three stories and basement, 60x100, corner Water and Adams, $25,000.

Bank of Washington and F. W. Pettygrove—Brick business block, three stories and basement, 55x90, Water, between Tyler and Polk, $50,000.

B. S. Miller—Brick business block, three stories and basement, 86x82, corner Washington and Taylor, $18,000.

George Sterming—Brick business house, two-stories, Water, near Taylor, $11,000.

First Presbyterian Society—Brick and frame church, Jefferson and Polk, $10,000.

Independent Order of Good Templars—Two-story frame building for hall, corner Maple avenue and Jefferson, $6000.

W. H. H. Learned—Brick and frame dwelling, corner Harrison street and Learned avenue, $6500.

Mrs. Jessie M. Allen—Two frame cottages, Hastings addition, $3000.

A. W. Bask—Dwelling, Mountain View addition, $7000.

F. W. Pettygrove—Double dwelling, Maple avenue, $4500.

Jones & Lipsitt—Two double dwellings, Hastings addition, $5000.

O. C. Hastings—Two cottages, Clay street, $2500.

J. S. Daly, architect, has the following work on hand:

J. A. Kuhn—Brick business block, corner Water and Tyler, 110x88, three stories and basement, $60,000.

Captain H. L. Tibbals, adjoining Kuhn's—Brick business block, 55x96, three stories and basement, $45,000.

H. A. Wiley—Dwelling, Kuhn's hill, $3000.

J. B. Hogg—Dwelling, Kuhn's hill, $4000.

There is being built under the plans of architects living outside of Port Townsend, but under the supervision of local superintendents of construction:

Hastings Estate—Brick business block, corner Water and Taylor streets, 56x100, three stories and basement, $60,000.

James—Hastings block, corner Water and Tyler, 50x97, three stories and basement, $24,000.

Congregational church, $6000.

Methodist Episcopal church, $13,000.

Preliminary designs have been prepared for the following, which will be commenced within a month:

Dr. N. D. Hill—Brick business block, corner Water and Quincy, three stories and basement, 50x100, $25,000.

Irael Katz—Brick business block, between Quincy and Adams, 70x100, three stories and basement, $50,000.

Besides the above mentioned there are now in course of construction seventy dwellings, ranging in value from $500 to $2500, and contracts have been let for over 200 more dwellings to be erected during the next four months. More than forty frame buildings for business purposes are going up, and several wharves and warehouses are being prepared for. The cost of unenumerated buildings erected within the past three months is not less than $150,000, and the total for the year of unpretentious structures will probably exceed $500,000.

In addition to buildings erected by private enterprise the United States government will build a custom house costing $240,000, and the county will erect a court house to cost $90,000. The total value of buildings which will be in progress the next two months will therefore not be under $1,046,000.

Add to the erection of buildings the construction of the Port Townsend Southern Railway, which will give this city direct connection with two transcontinental lines, the construction of one steam motor line which will circumscribe the city, and another to Hadlock, Port Townsend will be quite as active as her larger neighbors on the opposite side of Puget sound.

The Kuhn, the Tibbals, and Bank of Washington and Pettigrove buildings will practically be one block, reaching from Tyler to Park street. They will have a frontage of $220 feet, and it will be the largest and probably the handsomest block in Washington territory.

MORE HOUSES NEEDED.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I have just finished a small house on Tenth street and inserted a three-line add. for a good steady tenant, and during the past two days I have had over 100 applicants for it. I wonder why our moneyed men do not build more houses, or flats for small house-keeping. People are not going to stay here unless they can get a place to live. I feel very sorry to have to disappoint so many.

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NEWS NOTES FROM ALBINA.

A Number of Interesting Items Collected by the "Oregonian's" Energetic Correspondent.

Considerable reckless racing has been indulged in of late between the river steam packets Cyclone and Alarm. Where one person may enjoy this method of traveling there are dozens on board who are kept in perfect terror of an accident. There is no occasion for this, as the boats have had serious accidents enough already and when too late the question will arise, "Who is to blame?" to be answered as usual, "Nobody."

WILL HE NEVER GET TIRED.

Ignatz Grueninger either seems to be a greatly abused man, or else he is persecuting some one. In the police court yesterday he appeared as the plaintiff against Mausmetti Favetti, charged with assault and battery. The case evidently not amounting to much, the defendant was released on his own recognizance until the case can be disposed of.

In the afternoon Grueninger swore out a warrant in Justice Phelan's court against A. Castello, charging him with ruining the plaintiff's dwelling house. It will be remembered that the Grueninger family separated some time ago, the wife taking up with the above defendant with her four children. The plaintiff says the runaway wife and her paramour have taken away all of his furniture, turned his chickens out, torn away his doorstep, broken his windows, strung wires across his pathway and made his life miserable.

WILL PARTICIPATE.

The Albina fire company held their regular meeting last Wednesday evening, at Hill's hall, as the fire bell with solemn twangs chimed the meeting hour. There was a large attendance, and it was unanimously carried that the boys dress up in their nobby suits, and accept the invitation to participate in the grand parade to take place in Portland, the 30th inst., in commemoration of the inauguration of our first president, General George Washington. Committees have been appointed to make arrangements and decorate the hose cart in a grand style. All the ladies in Albina will be called on to furnish flowers and suggestions, especially flowers. A special meeting will be held Monday evening to perfect arrangements.

AN EXCURSION.

The Ladies' Union Relief Society will give their postponed picnic to Vancouver to-morrow (Saturday) rain or shine. However, it is hoped that it will shine. There will not be any occasion to put up lunch, as the society will make every preparation to provide all with refreshments on board the boat who may so desire.

SUBSCRIPTIONS SOLICITED.

Mr. R. Erwin is soliciting subscriptions for the building of the Willamette-bridge electric motor street car line from Portland to the north end of Albina. It is expected that property holders will donate liberally, as the company is liberal in their proposition, and no one need pay a dollar until after the road is completed and accepted.

MOVED THE HOUSE.

Mr. C. H. Hill has purchased the lodginghouse at the intersection of Delay and Goldsmith streets and will remove the same to the corner of Russell street and Williams avenue. Mr. Weinhard, who sold the house, will erect a large brick building on the vacated ground.

NEW BANK.

Pacquet and Smith, contractors, will soon erect a large and fine brick building on their block, on Chapman street, to be used as a bank. No better sign is needed to assure the public of the prosperity of Albina when it becomes necessary to have banking houses.

SMALL BUSINESS.

Some would-be smarty has at different times taken the street lamps and carried them some distance out of town and left them. This is very annoying, and Chief of Police McCarthy says he will give $25 for the arrest and conviction of the guilty party.

WONDERS OF THE HUMAN BODY.

The skin contains more than 2,000,000 openings, which are the outlets of an equal number of sweat glands. The human skeleton consists of more than 200 distinct bones. An amount of blood equal to the whole quantity of the body passes through the heart once every minute. The full capacity of the lungs is about 320 cubic inches. About two-thirds of a pint of air is inhaled in each breath in ordinary respiration. The stomach daily produces nine pounds of gastric juice for digestion of food; its capacity is about five pints.

There are more than 500 separate muscles in the body, with an equal number of nerves and blood vessels. The weight of the heart is from 8 to 12 ounces. It beats 100,000 times in 24 hours. Each respiratory duct is one-fourth of an inch in length, of the whole about 9 miles. The average man takes 5½ pounds of food and drink each day, which amounts to one ton of solid and liquid nourishment annually. A man breathes 18 times a minute, and 3000 cubic feet, or about 375 hogsheads, of air every hour of his existence.

To keep the system in perfect order no remedy is so good as electricity, and that is proving itself the most efficacious of all known treatments. Dr. Darrin submits the following cures recently performed through this subtle agent:

Recent Cures Performed by Dr. Darrin.

Rev. J. E. Coenour, Portland, Or., skin disease, cured.

W. T. Binkley, Centralia, W. T., sciatic rheumatism, restored.

J. T. George, Gleneden, W. T., chronic rheumatism five years, cured.

Mrs. Mary A. Johnson, Salem, Oregon, deafness many years, restored.

C. F. Mayhew, 183 D street, Portland, rheumatism in its worst form, cured.

Mrs. J. Ellis, 325 Clay street Portland, Or., deafness and diseases peculiar to her sex, cured.

D. S. Wells, four miles north of Albina, on Vancouver road, deafness five years, cured.

Charles Magnusson, Salem Or., asthma so he could scarcely walk or sleep, restored.

J. W. Keeney, Long creek, Grant county, Or., kidney complaint and pains in the back and down the sciatic nerves, restored.

Willie Clark, 101 Front street, Portland, discharging ear twelve years, cured.

D. J. Graham's child, Springfield, Or., painfully afflicted with granulated conjunctivitus, complicated with ulcers of the eyeballs for nine months, cured.

David Ross' son, Woodland, W. T., painful hip disease, had to be carried to the doctor's office, cured. Mr. Ross has a daughter residing at the Merchants hotel, Portland, and can be referred to.

Dr. Darrin's Place of Business.

Drs. Darrin can be consulted free at 235 Fifth street corner of Main, Portland, and Occident hotel, Astoria, Oregon, until further notice. Office hours, from 10 to 4 o'clock daily; evenings, 7 to 8; Sundays, 10 to 12. All curable chronic diseases, loss of manhood, blood taints, syphilis, gleet, gonorrhœa, stricture, spermatorrhœa, seminal weakness, or loss of desire of sexual power, in man or woman, catarrh and deafness, are confidentially and successfully treated. Cures of private diseases guaranteed, and never published in the papers. Circulars sent free. Most cases can receive home treatment after a visit to the doctors' office.

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CHOICE BARGAINS.

$2700—House and lot, 60x100 feet, Eighteenth and P sts., Portland.

$1300—Four choice lots, Albina Homestead.

$1100—Fine corner lot on Fifth st., Holladay's addition.

$900—Choice corner lot on Twentieth, near motor, East Portland.

$20 per acre—126 acres, 12 miles from Portland, half mile from railroad, good timber.

$20 per acre—Farm, 160 acres, 50 improved, 40 almost ready for plow, good soil, near river and railroad.

Small tracts of choice land on Johnson Bute, six miles southeast of Morrison street bridge, good soil, good view.

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3,500—A SPECIAL BARGAIN of a nice improved farm, 167 acres, with house and barn, nice orchard, 16 milk cows, mower, rake, cultivator, good span of horses, wagon and plows.

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It is over 100 feet above all adjoining properties.

It is within a convenient distance of the Sunnyside motor line.

The lots are all large, being one hundred feet square.

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This is the most important enterprise that has come to this city for years.

Lots and blocks in townsite. For maps and particulars call on

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Cheap lots in Auer's addition (Tibbett's donation land claim, between Nineteenth and Twenty-first streets) city of East Portland. Price from $450 to $500. Terms, $100 cash, balance $10 monthly. No interest or taxes to pay for the first year.

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106 acres, 14 in cultivation, orchard, house and barn, 9 miles from Portland 4300

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80 acres near Scappoose 400

10 acres near Mount Tabor 2000

50 acres, 1½ miles from Clackamas Station, 12 acres in cultivation, house and barn 3000

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160 acres, 1 mile from Reedville, partly rich beaverdam land 3200

For particulars apply to

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$45 PER ACRE

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$ 325—Finely located lots in Multnomah tract, near proposed grain elevator; half cash; balance easy terms.

850—For choice lot, 50x150 ft.; south frontage; near Williams ave. and south of Russell st, Albina.

2200—Two handsome lots in McMillen's addition; terms half cash; balance to suit purchaser.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

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PROPOSALS INVITED.

The Board of Trustees of the Oregon State Insane Asylum invite sealed proposals for heating the State Insane Asylum with hot water. Plans and specifications must be furnished by the bidders. Plans of building will be furnished upon application to Dr. Harry Lane, Medical Superintendent, Salem, Or.

Proposals are also invited for an electric light plant for the asylum of 500 lights of 16 candle power each, incandescent system, to be wired complete and ready for service and subject to rigid test. The right to reject any and all bids reserved.

Bids will be opened at 2 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, May 7, 1889.

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[illegible] of Tacoma, [illegible] of Walla Walla; [illegible] Falls, [illegible] M. [illegible] Seattle; [illegible] Heyden, of Olympia; [illegible] gan, of Vancouver; W. H. [illegible] of [illegible] William Lord, of Walla Walla.

The staff officers are: Assistant adjutant general, [illegible] of Tacoma; assistant quartermaster general, H. C. Thompson, of [illegible] judge advocate general, [illegible] Hyde of Spokane Falls; inspector general, C. M. Bertan of [illegible] chief mustering officer C. P. Carroll, of Seattle.

The next encampment will be held at Ellensburgh the fourth Wednesday of April, 1890.

The report of the retiring department committee under General John W. Sprague of Tacoma, on the subject of pensions was ordered to be sent to both houses of congress, and a resolution was adopted expressing the hope that General Sprague would be soon restored to health, to mingle again with his comrades.

A resolution was adopted favoring the establishment of a Soldiers' Home in the organization of the state of Washington, and the department unanimously favored the passage of a service pension bill by the congress of the United States.

THE RELIEF CORPS.

The Woman's Relief Corps of the territory, numbering eleven organizations, elected the following officers:

President, Mrs. Lucy A. Ide, of Spokane Falls.

Senior vice-president, Mrs. S. N. Tomlinson, Tacoma.

Junior vice-president, Mrs. [illegible] Seattle.

Secretary, Mrs. Lida D. Armstrong, Spokane Falls.

Chaplain, Mrs. Ellen Dorr [illegible]

Inspector, Mrs. Helen Patrick, Seattle.

Councilor, Mrs. J. E. [illegible]

Installing officer, Mrs. May [illegible] of Walla Walla.

Delegate to the national encampment, Mrs. Jennie S. Holmes, Seattle.

ENCAMPMENT OF NORTHERN CALIFORNIA.

MARYSVILLE, Cal., April 25.—The [illegible] of the third annual encampment of the G. A. R. posts of Northern California brought many more people into town than the reception committee had calculated would arrive, and in consequence, the hotels are crowded, but by to-morrow the committee will have secured accommodations for all.

General Card and staff arrived early this morning. The train to-night from Sacramento brought three coaches filled with Grand Army men and their ladies.

This afternoon the baseball game drew several hundred people. The Mystics, of Stockton, and the Marysvilles played and the score resulted in favor of the former [illegible]

In the evening a musical and literary entertainment was given, several hundred being turned away.

To-morrow all the guests will be driven over the country, and in the evening a [illegible] reception.

DEATH OF A [illegible] MAN.

DENVER, April 25.—[illegible] H. Thompson, ex-senior vice-commander of the New York department of the G. A. R., died here to-day, aged [illegible] years. He served in the Fifth and Seventh [illegible] infantry and since the war has been an ardent and prominent worker in Eastern Grand Army circles. The burial will be at Canandaigua, N. Y., Tuesday.

FROM SEATTLE.

A Raid on the Gamblers—The Bell Suicide Etc.

SEATTLE, April 25.—Chief of Police Butterfield raided two gambling houses, the "M. & N." and the "Bank Exchange," saloons about 10 o'clock to-night. In the first named place three faro dealers, John O'Dey, Sigmund Clein and Peter Chandler were arrested and their layouts confiscated. At the Bank Exchange William White and William Emerson, faro dealers, were arrested, and one layout and nearly $100 in gold captured. The gamblers were all released on $50 bail each, and will have a hearing in the police court to-morrow afternoon.

The jury in the case of Lange, who was killed by the Tacoma express Tuesday night, to-day reported that they were unable to agree. It is understood that five jurors wanted to acquit the engineer of all blame, while the other was firm in the opinion that the engineer should be held responsible. The testimony of all the trainmen was that Lange was given due warning by the usual blowing of the whistle and ringing of the bell.

Mother Godfrey, mother general of the sisters of Charity, arrived in Seattle to-night on an official inspection of Providence hospital.

Nothing new is to be told of the suicide of A. A. Bell, telegraphed yesterday. His sisters, Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Hull, started from San Francisco on the steamer Walla Walla to-day, and the funeral will not take place till they arrive. Everything confirms the belief that Bell was temporarily insane when he committed the deed.

DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION,

Nomination of Municipal Officers at Tacoma.

TACOMA, W. T., April 25.—The democratic convention was held at the courthouse to-night when S. A. Wheelwright, secretary of the chamber of commerce and one of the most popular men in the city, was nominated for mayor; Thomas Carroll, the present occupant of that position, for city attorney; and M. M. Taylor, late occupant of that position, for city treasurer. These are all strong nominations. George Balch was nominated for city surveyor, and W. C. Smith for street commissioner.

The first ward candidate for the council has not yet been named, according to the custom of that ward in staying apart from the rest of the city, but Linus E. Post was nominated from the second, J. M. [illegible] from the third, and John [illegible] fall from the fourth.

APPOINTED COMMISSIONERS.

TACOMA, April 25.—Governor Moore has appointed Major Edward Hunter, formerly of Walla Walla, but now of Washington, D. C.; H. M. Chase, of Walla Walla, and J. J. Browne, of Spokane Falls, commissioners to the centennial celebration in New York on the 30th inst.

BAKER CITY NEWS.

Mines Near Sparta Developing Well—A Coal Mine Near Town—Business Notes.

BAKER CITY, April 25.—The mines [illegible] Powder are proving to be a big thing. They were discovered [illegible] brought [illegible] and in the [illegible]

Dr. [illegible] his [illegible]

The [illegible] and work will be [illegible] putting down the track [illegible]

A. J. [illegible] of [illegible] hard [illegible]

[illegible] and [illegible] over [illegible]

The [illegible]

[illegible] ment [illegible]

FROM BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Rich Gold Ore on Texada Island—Victoria Notes.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 25.—Recent developments in gold quartz on Texada island are most encouraging. The [illegible] is thickly impregnated with gold, and in several pockets nuggets of considerable size were obtained. The owners had to have the tunnel filled up with rock to prevent hundreds who desired to carry away specimens [illegible] also [illegible] of becoming very valuable.

NOTES.

The sealing schooner [illegible] arrived to-day with 320 skins [illegible]

[illegible]

THE [illegible]

Whitelaw [illegible] Corps of Divers Who Will [illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO, April [illegible]

[illegible] and machinery [illegible] than $5,000.

RAISING A SUBSIDY.

Negotiations Now in Progress Between Pendleton People and Mr. Hunt.

PENDLETON, Or., April 25.—The committee to solicit the subsidy for the Hunt road met that gentleman Sunday. He said he would take $45,000 and certain parcels of ground owned by the city, including the right of way through Webb street. The committee have been engaged yesterday and to-day in soliciting subscriptions, and have raised $37,000. The city will donate the required grounds. Mr. Hunt has been here from the [illegible] at Walla Walla, and it is expected and hoped that he will accept this offer [illegible] road into the city, which he says he can do within a [illegible] days.

Agent Morehouse is taking an inventory of the [illegible]

FROM CENTRALIA.

A Lively Bustling, Growing Inland Town—The Dissevering of Lewis County.

[illegible]

[illegible] will start in fifteen days. [illegible]

[illegible] We can have plenty of building there [illegible] in Centralia according to population than any town or city in Washington territory. Strangers [illegible] a residence in the town for [illegible] We are on the most direct line of travel to [illegible] Harbor. The stage leaves here every day except Sunday for Montesano and goes through the same day.

A long felt want of this town is about to be supplied [illegible] that the growing city may well be proud of.

The Odd Fellows' cemetery grounds are being cleared preparatory to [illegible] The ground is situated just north of Centralia Heights, on an elevation commanding a fine view of the town and surrounding country.

The population of Centralia has just about doubled the past six months and the indications are that the present population will double by January 1, 1890. Property is lower here than in [illegible] of the same population in the territory, notwithstanding it has advanced from 1 to [illegible] in some cases in six months. Everything looks favorable for a prosperous, lively season at Centralia.

The districting is done for the constitutional convention and not very satisfactory to a [illegible] of Lewis county. Three precincts are carved out of Lewis and attached to Thurston county, forming the [illegible] district, while the balance of Lewis is bound to the eastern portion of Pierce for another district. Whether there was any motive in thus hacking up Lewis county remains to be seen further on. Lewis has a population sufficient for one district which, of course, would have entitled us to three delegates in the convention, and Centralia would have had one. As it now stands we are at the mercy of the northern portion of the district, which holds the balance of power against us. We shall, however, claim the right to one delegate, and expect Olympia to concede that right, we being the second largest town in the district.

News Items From Salem.

SALEM, Or., April 25.—There were filed in the [illegible] to-day articles of incorporation of the Oak Grove and Juniper Flat Ditch Company, object, to convey water from the White river through the farm and grazing lands of Oak Grove and Juniper Flat, capital stock, $10,000, [illegible] shares of $100 each, with J. Steele, Hampton Kelly, William M. [illegible] Lewis, Henry Durbach and Basil Deven as incorporators.

[illegible] of Baker City, and G. W. Lyon, of Portland, have been appointed notaries public.

[illegible]

Willis [illegible] of criminal notoriety, and Jack Moran [illegible] were arrested to-day [illegible] and brought back to this city by [illegible] on a charge of passing a forged [illegible] for $85 worth of clothing on W. W. Johnson [illegible] The order purported to be signed by Tom Hayden, of Polk county. Their preliminary hearing will be held to-morrow.

Spokane Falls Notes.

SPOKANE FALLS, April 25.—Articles of incorporation were filed to-day for the Washington Loan & Trust Company, with a capital stock of $100,000. The board of directors are W. P. Russell, C. J. Knapp, J. Warren Russell and Charles Russell.

The city authorities have granted consent for the glove contest between Thomas Stockley of Colfax, and [illegible] of Iowa. The battle will take place next Tuesday night.

Ferdinand Chadborn, of Helena, has purchased J. T. Wardner's interest in the Chloride mine for $4000.

Victoria Notes.

VICTORIA, B. C., April 25.—Alex Dunsmuir has been elected president of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, and James Dunsmuir president of the Union Coal & Mining Company, at Comox.

The sealing schooner Annie C. Moore has arrived with 320 skins, and will refit and proceed north.

The Albany Boys Are Coming.

ALBANY, April 25.—Company F, O. N. G., of this city, has accepted an invitation to attend the celebration at Portland next Tuesday, and on the morning train that day will take their departure for the metropolis. The company has about sixty members, all neatly uniformed.

Creditable to the Governor.

Governor Richardson, of South Carolina, on the 15th instant, granted a full and free pardon to W. C. Williams and Harrison Heyward, the two negroes who were convicted at a recent term of court in Pickens county, of the lynching of Manse Waldrop, a white man.

In giving his reasons for his action in this case, Governor Richardson said that he determined from the first that these men should not hang, and that he was influenced because of his desire to do full justice to the colored people. This was the first time any one had been convicted in this state for lynching, and it was the first time that negroes had lynched any one, and he would not have them made an example of when white men had not been punished. If these had been whites he would have given them a long term in the penitentiary, or if it had been the second time that a conviction had been had he would have punished them, but under the circumstances, where the negroes were ignorant and had had the example set them by whites, he could not in justice, let the sentence of the court be executed. The governor received fifty-two petitions, signed by nearly 4000 persons, asking for pardon.

The World's "Billionaires."

New York Sun.

The [illegible] landowners of England, which gets [illegible] as the "[illegible]" [illegible] of £16,000,000 to justify the [illegible]

According to the following there are not far from a dozen American citizens richer than the duke. To begin with, we have the two head members of the Astor family. Then there are two Vanderbilts, Cornelius and William, each of whom possesses more than $100,000,000. Then two Rockefellers, John and William, belong in this [illegible] Mr. Hagar is another [illegible] and there may be others [illegible] compared to America.

[illegible] Taxation.

[illegible]

[illegible] Prohibition in Massachusetts.

New York Sun.

[illegible]

[illegible] a [illegible] reporter [illegible] Mr. Halstead by the senate [illegible] chances for the governorship [illegible] that he is not a candidate. Mr. Halstead doesn't want anything. He wasn't even anxious to go to Germany, and the honor came to him unsought."

WILL IDAHO COME IN?

Delegate Dubois Talks About the Wishes of His Constituents.

[illegible]

[illegible] Non-Mormons in Idaho, [illegible] regardless of politics, have passed [illegible] an order, organization or sect which [illegible] practices or encourages the crime of bigamy or polygamy [illegible] from exercising the elective franchise. This is the only state of the law and it disfranchises every member of the Mormon church.

Non-Mormons of Idaho will not give up that law. They are loyally united to break down and destroy this treasonable organization, which is a disgrace and a perpetual menace to our form of government. We will put in our constitution a clause the effect of which will be the disfranchisement of the Mormons. Our fight will be on that clause. Eastern people do not and will not comprehend this Mormon question, and the Mormon church will have its paid attorneys there to fight us with all they can. We are contending for principles, however, and will be united by the fact that no one can defend Mormonism without defending polygamy, which is its cornerstone. We shall have the support of the moral element of the country, and during the debate we hope to open the eyes of the country to the full iniquity and treason of the Mormon church.

"If you left that question out of your constitution would it make your admission any easier?"

"Immeasurably so. But I know the temper of the people of Idaho too well. They will not leave it out. Nor should they. Statehood is not worth the surrender of a compromise with this institution, and we would not deserve statehood if we made any."

APPOINTMENT NOTES.

W. M. Stone, of Iowa, Made Commissioner of the General Land Office.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Ex-Governor William M. Stone, of Iowa, has been appointed commissioner of the general land office.

POSTOFFICE INSPECTORS.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Division inspectors of the postoffice department to-day were appointed as follows: General Warren P. Edgarton, of New Jersey, assigned to Philadelphia, vice Timothy O'Leary, resigned; George A. Dice, of Illinois, assigned to St. Louis, vice R. F. Guhel, resigned; George E. [illegible] of California, assigned to San Francisco, vice I. A. Kirkwood, resigned.

W. C. Laird, of Illinois, J. D. King, of Illinois, and J. O. Culver, of California, have been appointed as postoffice inspectors of all [illegible] promotions under civil service rules. None of them have been separated from the service more than a year.

APPOINTMENTS RECOMMENDED.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Robert P. Porter, superintendent of the census, has recommended to the secretary of the interior the appointment of J. L. Stoddard as [illegible] Stoddard is at present disbursing officer of the department of labor.

He has also recommended the appointment of W. C. Hunt as statistical expert. Hunt was formerly chief of the division of results of the Massachusetts [illegible]

It is understood that both of these recommendations will be approved by Secretary Noble.

NORTHWESTERN INTERESTS.

Proposals for Building the Life-Saving Station at Point Adams.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The proposals for constructing the lifesaving station at Point Adams were opened yesterday at the office of Superintendent Kimball, of the life-saving bureau.

The following is the list of firms which responded, together with the amounts of their respective bids for building the station: James Hannah & Co., of San Francisco, $7450; Thomas R. & F. D. Bassett, of Oakland, $7800; James H. Carter, of Jefferson, Texas, $9451; William B. Headington, of Astoria, Or., $5974. As the bid of William B. Headington, of Astoria, is the lowest it is thought that he will undoubtedly be awarded the contract for the erection of the new station.

POSTAL NOTES.

The following Pacific coast postmasters have been appointed: W. Bradley, at Coldwell, Ada county, Idaho, vice T. W. Boone, removed; Emily A. Vaughn at Burns, Grant county, Or., vice J. C. Parker resigned; John H. Dukes, Hood River, Wasco county, Or., vice J. T. Prather resigned; W. H. Mossman at Chehalis, Lewis county, W. T., vice J. E. Willis removed; Mrs. M. Sheff, at Elma, Chehalis county, W. T., vice J. J. Carney removed. William H. Murray has been commissioned postmaster at Black Diamond, W. T.

THE NAVAL BOARD.

Its Report Will Probably Be Withheld Until Congress Meets.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The naval board appointed to select a site for a navy yard on the Northwest coast, having completed its labors, have returned to their respective former duties.

Lieutenant Kennedy, of the board, is devoting nearly his whole time to the report, and, although much headway has been made, he does not expect it will be ready for at least two months yet. There is some talk, he says, that when finished it will be withheld until congress meets.

THE TRANSFER OF INDIANS.

General Armstrong Now at the Lemhi Agency, Idaho.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—General Frank Armstrong, inspector of Indian affairs for the interior department, is now at the Lemhi agency, in Idaho, negotiating with the Bannock, Shoshone and Sheepeater Indians for a transfer from their present reservation to the Fort Hall reservation, where lands in severalty will be given them.

The agreement made with these Indians in 1882 was ratified by the last congress, relinquishing their reservation, but it had been so long postponed that it was thought best to secure the consent of the Indians again. There are few of these Indians at the Lemhi reservation, which [illegible] will be thrown open to settlement if they consent to the transfer.

An Interesting Pension Decision.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Commissioner of Pensions Tanner to-day rendered a decision by which the pension of [illegible] will be increased from $30 to $72 per month. [illegible] for what is known as amputation of both feet [illegible] total loss of feet, was merely a technical difference, and that claimant was entitled to a pension of $72 per month. This decision will apply to a number of other cases of like nature.

The Armes Court-Martial.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The Armes court-martial met this morning to-day, read over the record of yesterday's proceedings and went into secret session. The result was the agreement upon a verdict, and the court adjourned to await the action of the secretary of war and the president upon their findings.

Soon to Start for the Coast.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—It is understood that the senate committee on our relations with Canada will start for the Pacific coast within a few days. The committee consists of [illegible] Hoar, Hale, Allison, Dolph, Pugh, Butler and Voorhees, and their ladies.

An Army Order.

[illegible]

THE [illegible] FIGHT.

Odds of Ten to Six Given in Favor of the [illegible]

[illegible]

A [illegible] MURDERED.

A Career of Crime that Ended in the Customary Manner.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—John Whalen, an ex-convict, was shot and killed early this morning by James Wilkenson, alias Tug Wilson, on Market street, near Fourth. Wilson claims that Whalen

[illegible]

JOAQUIN MILLER'S REASONS.

He Tells a Reporter Why He Refused the Position of Forestry Commissioner.

[illegible]

I would take the [illegible] of this state if [illegible] I would not water every tree [illegible] I have already twenty [illegible]

CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS.

Personal and General Notes.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—At a special meeting of the Calvary Presbyterian church, it was voted to accept the resignation of Rev. Dr. Hemphill, of Philadelphia, their former pastor, to [illegible] refused because the church was divided on the proposition.

Leonard Holbrook, this afternoon, committed suicide by hanging. It is supposed that the deed was the result of despondency on account of the fact that he had not lived with his wife for the past fifteen months.

The Southern Pacific will not buy the Altadena road from Pasadena to Los Angeles, built by private individuals, who abandoned it when they found that they did not know how to run it.

A man named Wolcott, who arrived from Colorado Saturday last, was removed from his lodgings this morning to the pesthouse, suffering from small-pox. This is the first case reported since March 24.

I. Carey Friedlander, secretary of the produce exchange, and his friend, "Harry W. [illegible]" from New York, were each fined $20 in court to-day for disorderly conduct on the streets a few nights since.

It is reported that Dick Croker, of the [illegible] jury briber, is in Honolulu. The passengers of the steamer Alameda say that he boarded the vessel at Melbourne and left it at Honolulu. A gentleman, who conversed with him, says that he is very tired of his exile.

The agent of the California society for the suppression of vice has returned from Portland, where he has been as the prosecuting witness in the case of the United States vs. Borles before the federal grand jury.

The second Albani concert of the season at the Grand Opera house equaled in [illegible] the initial performance. Mme. Albani surpassed her splendid efforts of Monday night and [illegible] spontaneous indorsement. Two extra performances are announced for Monday and Wednesday of next week.

The government fish commission's steamer Albatross arrived here to-day, after a cruise of a few months along the southern and lower California coast. Captain Tanner reports having discovered a number of facts relative to the fishing banks and the habits of fish that will interest [illegible]

To Prevent the Erection of Electric Light Poles.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—[illegible] torney [illegible] has commenced suit in the superior court in behalf of the city against the Electric Improvement Company to enjoin the latter corporation from [illegible] electric light poles [illegible] It is alleged that the poles or [illegible] and nuisances, and that their erection and maintenance is in violation of the law. It is also desired that the poles now standing be removed.

This suit is an offset to the suit brought recently by the Electric company [illegible] police from interfering with the erection of poles.

Indicted by the Grand Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—James W. Silk, superintendent of the Industrial school, was indicted by the grand jury to-day. The charges against Silk are not made public, but it is unofficially learned that one of the charges is appropriating to himself money and clothing sent by friends for the prisoners.

Francis Roth, the attorney, was also indicted for obtaining money by false pretenses.

A Fatal Runaway.

STOCKTON, April 25.—A ranch hand, named David Powell, was killed last night by a runaway accident five miles from here. He was on his way to the ranch where he was employed, and was driving a pair of horses in a light spring wagon, and was thrown out, breaking his neck and crushing his skull. He was about 50 years of age, and leaves a family.

American Association Games.

ST. LOUIS, April 25.—St. Louis 15, Cincinnati 5.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—Kansas City 16, Louisville 5.

BALTIMORE, April 25.—No game on account of rain.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—No game on account of rain.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Arrived—Steamer San Pedro, Tacoma.

Departed—Steamer Walla Walla, Victoria; steamer George W. Elder, Port Townsend.

The Trial Trip of the Charleston.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Efforts are being made by the Union Iron Works to have the Charleston ready to start on her trial trip on the 30th inst., the date of Washington's inaugural.

Acquitted.

SAN DIEGO, April 25.—Canepa, charged with the murder of Magnoli, a fellow Italian, January, was acquitted this morning.

Justice Prevails.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 25.—James M. Ronan had two children by Frances [illegible] while she was still owned by another man thirty-five years ago. He then bought her and the children for $950. He continued to live with her till her death, and left her and their ten children all his property, consisting of $1,000 cash and a good farm in this county. His widowed sister's daughter was brought [illegible] by Ronan, and is now Mrs. Mary Hydron. [illegible] estate, valued at $5000. [illegible] ten minutes [illegible] a verdict for the defendant.

The Coming Summer Resort.

[illegible]

A Defaulting Treasurer.

[illegible] will reach $100 and perhaps more.

Not a Secret Ballot.

St. Louis [illegible]

[illegible]

What Mr. Cleveland Paid for Defeat.

[illegible] Journal.

[illegible]

[illegible] Coughs and Colds

[illegible]

Reservations on any steamship line in the Atlantic service to Europe can be secured at Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

THE NEW TERRITORY.

Scenes and Incidents at Guthrie and Other Towns.

[illegible]

AT KINGFISHER.

Rival Townsites Springing up—The Lawyers Expecting a Harvest.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—The Times' Kingfisher special says three more companies of infantry have been ordered there. There is no disorder, and the troops are merely sent as a precautionary measure.

The first baby was born yesterday. It first saw the light in a [illegible] and was christened Oklahoma Lewis. Its parents are from Texas.

A number of settlers have claimed the north half of this section as a townsite, and have named it Kingfisher. They [illegible] mayor and council, and are running [illegible]

[illegible] Adair, secretary of the Cherokee live stock association, and three others have entered a section between here and the [illegible] line. It is said the Rock Island will build a depot on the site. One of the Adair party, who paid $25 for a lot, was chased off by a man who had taken it in possession. There are three or four contests on nearly every claim, and land lawyers are preparing for a harvest.

Reports of murders come in, but none of them have yet been sustained.

CONTESTS IN OKLAHOMA.

Nearly Every Quarter Section of Land in That Territory Will Be Involved.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Commissioner Stockslager, of the general land office, to-day said that from the present indications the contests over land claims in Oklahoma would ultimately involve nearly every quarter section of land in that territory. This being the case, he thought it probable that the department would make Oklahoma contest cases a separate class, and dispose of them at once. Otherwise, in the ordinary course of business, it would likely be eighteen months or two years before they could be reached. The contests in which abandonment is charged could not be passed upon until after the expiration of six months, as the law does not recognize absence from a claim for a shorter period than six months as abandonment. But cases in which there are charges of fraud or violation of the president's proclamation by going into the territory prior to April 22 could be tried and disposed of at once.

AN INVESTIGATION ORDERED.

There Is Such a Thing as Being a Little Too Sharp.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Immediately upon the receipt of the press reports that government officials and employes in Oklahoma used their authority to secure prior rights in the lands, the president and secretary Noble telegraphed the special agents now in the territory to make a thorough and prompt investigation, and immediately notify the secretary of their findings. A report is expected during the week.

Secretary Noble said that [illegible] As soon as the facts are [illegible] of the government will be very prompt.

OKLAHOMA NOTES.

Suicide of a Man Who Failed to Get a Claim—Indians Encouraging Immigration.

[illegible] apparently crazy, startled pedestrians [illegible] a [illegible] gash. Later he shot himself through the head and died this evening. From papers found, it was learned that he was Silas W. Kennedy, from Illinois. Two men in the city today said they had accompanied Kennedy from St. Louis to Guthrie, and all three had failed to get claims. It is supposed that the dead man's mind was deranged by his failure.

EVERYTHING QUIET AT OKLAHOMA.

WASHINGTON, April 25.—The secretary of the interior to-day received the following telegram dated to-day, from the special agents of the department at Guthrie: "Oklahoma—Everything here is in a quiet condition. The exclusion of liquor has given peaceful order to the community. The land office here is moving smoothly. The Washington force is invaluable."

GIVEN LOTS BY THE INDIANS.

KANSAS CITY, April 25.—The Times' Purcell special: The band of disappointed home seekers returning from Oklahoma are obtaining lots from the Indians in the Chickasaw and Creek nations. Many of the Indians welcome white settlers, and some are said to favor the allotment in severalty of their entire reservation.

A HISTORICAL MARVEL.

The State of Washington's Progress Since 1836—Its Possibilities.

Rev. Dr. William Burrows, the author of the volume on Oregon, in the Commonwealth Series, says that "the new state of Washington is a historical marvel, but it is just like the United States to produce it." As he wrote this sentence there lay before him a letter written in 1836, by Mrs. Marcus Whitman, giving an account of her journey over the plains and Rocky mountains to Oregon that year. She was one of the two white women who first visited this far West. Two years later Dr. Cushing Eells and family were 120 days in reaching Dr. Whitman's missionary station at Walla Walla by the same trail. The Oregon country was then the British Columbia, Washington, Oregon, Idaho and part of the Montana of to-day, occupied by the Hudson bay company under a treaty of joint occupancy between the United States and Great Britain. The country was "without a horse, a potato, or apple, or a spoonful of wheat." The first wheat raised near Walla Walla, before Dr. Whitman and his [illegible] was ground as in Palestine 2500 years ago.

Dr. Burrows goes on to describe Washington as it is to-day, a territory larger than all New England with an ocean shore line of [illegible] miles, lying in the latitude of [illegible] further north than England, where [illegible] are in bloom in winter and [illegible] of the second crop the same year [illegible] There are about [illegible] of railroad, carrying last year about 800,000 passengers, coal [illegible] developed [illegible] great [illegible] salmon fisheries, timber [illegible] and a [illegible] commonwealth and at [illegible] the control of the [illegible] of the world. When comparing our growth with that of Great Britain [illegible] "America passing a [illegible] at a canter." This territory, soon to become a state, is, as Dr. Burrows has said, a natural and legitimate product of the United States. A marvel here, it would be impossible anywhere else. As Alison said [illegible] history of Europe, referring to the [illegible]

"[illegible] slowly, while Europe rears its population and fulfills its [illegible] those [illegible] which have been [illegible] hope to the people in truth, that in the [illegible]

[illegible] the past year in [illegible] He served his term like a man, and has returned to the bosom of his family and society. He has cards out for a 'high coffee' day after to-morrow, and the elite will be there in regions."

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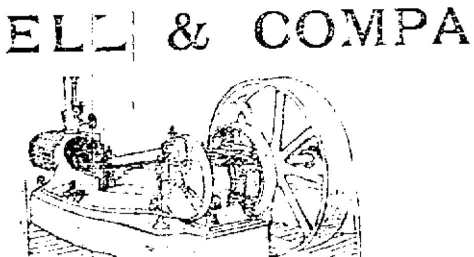

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AN INTERESTING LETTER.

OFFICE OF THE ELECTRIC LIGHT AND [illegible]

Messrs. Russell & Co., Portland, Oregon:—Gentlemen: Your [illegible] of the 60 horsepower engine purchased direct [illegible] In reply will say that [illegible] to power, regulation and economy. We are running [illegible] lights, and one Heisler dynamo, the former requiring about thirty horsepower and the latter [illegible] horsepower. Both are fully loaded, and the friction can [illegible] which is working the engine to its full guaranteed capacity, and the automatic [illegible] throwing the dynamo in or out makes no perceptible difference in the speed, and we have started with cold water and run all night with one cord of wood. Respectfully, [illegible] ALLEN.

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For Any Mineral Found in This Medicine.

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Purifies and Enriches the Blood Without Blotches.

Sure Cure for FEMALE COMPLAINTS.
Gives Life and Vigor to EVERY ORGAN.
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RAILROAD REGULATION.

New York Tribune.

The farmers and merchants of the West who expected great benefits from the regulation of railroads by state and national authority appear to be at least as much dissatisfied as they were before the era of regulation began. It is curious now to read their passionate denunciations and complaints and to note that the precise changes with which they find most fault are those which were predicted by competent railroad men, before the interstate act was passed, as unavoidable results of that act. Side by side with their complaints in many Western journals may be found the declarations of railroad presidents who have formed the Interstate Association for the avowed purpose of assisting in the strict and impartial enforcement of the law. In most cases these railroad men do not give expression to any hostile feeling regarding the law or the interpretation of the commission. Those who seem to be least friendly to the policy of the act advocate its strict enforcement on the ground that [illegible] in that way be most surely reached. For many more of them appear to consider the law a good thing for the railroads, though less helpful to the public than its advocates expected.

The Western farmers have learned by sad experience that the act does not secure them any higher prices for their products. [illegible] points to the seaboard are lower than they were before the act passed, [illegible] Whether the speculators get it all, or the [illegible] consumers [illegible] this much is certain, the farmer gets none of it. For the most distant of them find that special rates which were formerly given for their encouragement have now ceased to come back, and other farmers who are more conveniently located with reference to lines of transportation and markets are able to undersell them more than before. A relative benefit to these, as respects transportation to common markets, is [illegible] more than balanced by still greater advantages which accrue to other farmers yet nearer the seaboard. In brief, the tendency of the old plan of unlimited competition was to annihilate distance, and to afford to all producers [illegible] at rates more nearly the same than they are now permitted to [illegible] The greater number of [illegible] lost benefits which under free competition they enjoyed.

The [illegible] has been revolutionized in the West. Nearly every [illegible] from the greatest to the least [illegible]

[illegible] their withdrawal. Whether the principle is cheaper goods or the whole may be doubted.

Western opinion is not yet prepared to admit that the evil and loss are necessary consequences of the law. On the contrary, there is a general belief that the railroads could somehow make things infinitely pleasanter if they would obey the law in a different way. The same spirit is seen regarding the unwelcome consequences of state legislation and of rates established by state commissions. The railroads cut down their service, run fewer trains, employ fewer hands and make less effort to secure a traffic which has been made relatively unprofitable. The great inconveniences which follow are attributed, not to state laws or commissions or to their errors, but to a supposed disposition of the railroads to make the worst of things. It is scarcely necessary to say that thus far the policy of regulation by state or national authority has hardly realized the hopes of its advocates.

The Preacher and His Work.

New York [illegible]

"[illegible] heart of this [illegible] in the [illegible]" remarked [illegible] man to me the other day. "For the [illegible] his fellow men [illegible] with living issues and living [illegible] and not with a cut and dried system, however perfect it may be. He must throw some of his vital personality into the doctrine he preaches, if he would make these [illegible] A preacher [illegible] he would soup [illegible] they will accept [illegible] He must [illegible] with his own [illegible] with his own personal [illegible] to them [illegible] to-day. The [illegible] a hearing, [illegible] he may be [illegible] will make [illegible] the world, no [illegible] may be."

Is It [illegible]?

[illegible] which will [illegible] a large army [illegible] bears [illegible] made [illegible] the mitrailleuse [illegible] Franco-German war [illegible] and which

The Specific A No. 1.

YOUNG MEN! [illegible]

FOR RENT.

[illegible]

WOOD! WOOD! WOOD!

[illegible] Whittier's Mill [illegible] M. & M. CO.

KIDNEY [illegible] cases cured in seven days. Sold $1.50 per box. [illegible] Docuta [illegible] Directions.

EARL & WILSON'S E. & W. BRAND OF MEN'S Collars and Cuffs are the best. [illegible]

"IF THERE IS A PARADISE ON EARTH IT NOW LIES BEFORE ME!"

This was the exclamation of a wearied and footsore immigrant who, after six long, weary months of border [illegible] trials and [illegible] starvation, had reached the summit of the BLUE MOUNTAINS overlooking GRAND RONDE VALLEY, where before his vision was a WORLD OF BEAUTY. In these times when cities are made to order and the ALMIGHTY DOLLAR [illegible] the most [illegible] of loveliness, man looks for the opportunity of money making. Trampled with that opportunity there is a perfect climate, the most productive soil, a superabundance of timber, with mountains of minerals and the purest of spring water, surely all that makes a home enticing are combined. All this awaits the man or men who come to

LA GRANDE, OREGON

TO REALIZE THEIR SHARE OF THE EARNINGS IN THIS EDEN OF OREGON, THE GRAND RONDE VALLEY.

La Grande's share of these earnings was nearly three and one-half million dollars in 1888, and will be double in 1889. The majority of towns and cities throughout the East have from 50 to 95 per cent of the population of their respective counties. La Grande can double her present population and then not equal one-half the population of the county. This population is coming now at the rate of half a dozen per day.

New buildings are being erected or in contemplation. La Grande has greater resources than Decatur, Jacksonville or Galesburg, Illinois, or Iowa City, Ottumwa or Marshalltown, Iowa, each of which are inland towns with from 10,000 to 20,000 people. La Grande has now about 2200 inhabitants, and if her resources and possibilities had been known this population WOULD HAVE MORE THAN DOUBLED.

There is more available agriculture acreage tributary to La Grande yet to be employed, and all of it equivalent to prairie land, than there is now under cultivation. The trade of a farming population from the valley and adjacent counties of about 20,000 to 25,000 get their supplies at La Grande now. Does not this suggest a possibility of success for you in your business? If so we want you to come. Room for all and bonanzas for manufactories.

We would not invite you to divide our own trade with you if we did not know there was room for you. We want farmers also, and here they have a chance to pay a mortgage, if they have one to pay. Tell us what you seek to establish and we will answer you promptly. We are a committee designated to answer letters of inquiry, but we would prefer meeting you in person to show you the magnificent Grand Ronde Valley.

Address A. P. FULLER, Mayor; M. S. BLOCK, Secretary Board of Trade; W. H. McDONALD, Cashier La Grande National Bank.

THE COMING CELEBRATION.

A Committee Meeting Held Last Night—A Call for Decorations—Proposed Line of March.

The committee of arrangements for the centennial celebration held a meeting last evening. The appended was given for publication:

The committee of arrangements for the celebration of the centennial of the inauguration of General Washington as the first president of the United States, ask the citizens of Portland to assist in every way to make the day a memorable success, and respectfully urge that inasmuch as the day has been made a legal holiday by proclamation of the president of the United States and the governor of Oregon, that all business be suspended on that day in order that all may have an opportunity to take part in the celebration. The committee also ask all public spirited citizens to decorate their places of business and residence, especially those situated on the line of march.

WM. KAPUS, Chairman.

THE LINE OF MARCH.

From Sixth street, corner of Salmon, north on Sixth to B street, east on B to Third street, north on Third to [illegible] street, east on [illegible] to First street, south on First to Montgomery street, west on Montgomery to Fifth street, north on Fifth past reviewing stand on east side of Fifth opposite the postoffice building, from which point the column will be reviewed by His Excellency, Sylvester Pennoyer, governor of Oregon; to Morrison street, west on Morrison to the Tabernacle, at which place the public exercises will be held and the column disband.

ASSIGNMENTS OF POSITIONS.

Acceptances have been received from a large number of organizations, by the committee of arrangements for the Centennial celebration; assignments of these organizations to positions in column are now being made, notices of which will be sent to each with full instructions as to order of parade and all other necessary details, at an early date.

PICKED UP IN SHIPPING CIRCLES.

The Willamette Chief—O. R. & N. Co.'s Wharf Boat—Columbia Sailed—Oregon Due.

The steamer Willamette Chief left for the Cascades yesterday morning, having in tow two barges just finished, by John Steffen, for the Warner Canning company. One of the barges has a [illegible]

The repairs [illegible] O. R. & N. wharf [illegible] been completed, and she will be put into service tomorrow [illegible] the steamer [illegible]

The steamer Columbia sailed for San Francisco last night, carrying away about [illegible] tons of freight.

The Oregon is due this evening [illegible] next Thursday [illegible]

[illegible]

The schooner [illegible] arrived at [illegible] Wednesday, from [illegible]

The bark Kate [illegible] arrived [illegible] from China, via [illegible]

The schooner [illegible] which sailed from Astoria Tuesday, [illegible] and that day [illegible] a dead calm.

The steamer [illegible] up [illegible]

MOTIONS SET FOR HEARING

A List of Cases and the Time Fixed When Each Will Come Up.

The following motions have been set for hearing in the state circuit court:

West vs. H[illegible]; defendant allowed until April 26 [illegible]

Roth vs. N. P. [illegible]; [illegible] of defendant allowed till April 29 [illegible]

State vs. Delaney; demurrer to indictment, April 26.

Buchanan vs. P. & W. V. Ry Co.; motion to strike out parts of complaint, April 26.

Wheeler vs. P. & W. V. Ry Co.; defendant allowed till April 27 to prepare bill of exceptions.

Venzanie vs. Lewis et al.; demurrer to complaint, April 27.

Moakler vs. P. & W. V. Ry Co.; demurrer to complaint, April [illegible]

Spaulding vs. P. & W. V. Ry Co.; demurrer to complaint, April 27.

Walker et al. vs. Taggart et al.; allowed till April 27 within which to [illegible]

Kern vs. Mount Hood Foundry Company; demurrer to complaint, April 27.

Marquam vs. Strong; demurrer to complaint, April 27.

Thompson vs. Raymond; to be argued April 29.

[illegible] vs. H[illegible]; motion to confirm referee's report, April 29.

State vs. [illegible]; defendant allowed till April 29 [illegible]

Reardon vs. Reardon; demurrer to complaint, April 29.

Daniels vs. Rossman; demurrer to answer, April 29.

Pengra & Brown vs. The [illegible]; defendant Schaffer allowed till April [illegible] to answer.

Aylesworth vs. [illegible]; plaintiff allowed until May 1 to amend.

Bartel vs. Matthias; defendant allowed until May 1 to answer.

Bell vs. Eastman et al.; plaintiff allowed until May [illegible]

[illegible] vs. Kwong Sing Wa[illegible]; plaintiff [illegible] June 14 to file bill of items, and [illegible] June 20 to answer.

THE STATE REFORM SCHOOL.

The Governor Says the Commissioners Have Not Yet Selected a Site.

Governor Pennoyer, who [illegible] the state [illegible] reform school, as provided by the law passed by the last legislature [illegible]

"We have [illegible]

[illegible]

THE SEAT OF POLK COUNTY.

[illegible] the people of Polk county [illegible] were defeated. [illegible] but I doubt if one will ever be built until a county seat is located permanently [illegible] years ago the question was submitted and Dallas got away with the plum, but the county has settled up since then and several towns have come to the front as aspirants for the county seat. If it is ever submitted to a vote of the people Dallas and Independence will be the principal places voted for. The last legislature might just as well have submitted the question as not, because a feeling of uncertainty will prevail until it is settled."

GOV. PENNOYER TO THE RESCUE.

His Prompt Action Saves the State Its Share of the Great New York Feast

Governor Pennoyer was in a fearful state of mind the other night. He stood on the west portico of the state house at Salem and saw the glorious orb of day fade away before the shadowy forces of Nox, while its mellow beams gilded the Waldo hills and made the trees and the shrubs and the grasses, yet dripping from the effects of a generous downpour, smile as they never smiled before.

The governor was not sad, neither was he over jubilant, nor was he admiring the beautiful sunset. He was meditating. Visions of thousands of uniformed men marching down Broadway, New York, celebrating the centennial of the inauguration of President Washington, flitted through his mind. He saw the sidewalks thronged with wonder stricken spectators, decked in holiday attire. Everybody was in a gleeful mood, and he had visions of men throwing their hats high into the air and yelling themselves hoarse in honor of the father of their country. The cause of the governor's meditation was the following telegram, which a messenger had just delivered:

NEW YORK, April 23.

Sylvester Pennoyer, Salem, Or.:

The entertainment committee will assign to another your seat at the banquet unless you telegraph your acceptance by Wednesday night.

CLARENCE W. BROWN, Secretary.

As Governor Pennoyer had taken time by the forelock, only a few hours before and telegraphed to Mr. Brown that Senators Mitchell and Dolph would represent Oregon at the celebration, he felt relieved when he saw that he had saved to the state its share of the big feast and had narrowly escaped being one of Ward McAllister's "400" for one night only.

BUILDING ACTIVITY AT PORT TOWNSEND.

Over a Million Dollars' Worth of Buildings Planned and To Be Erected.

Buildings whose cost will aggregate over $1,000,000 are in process of, or will soon be under construction within the corporate limits of Port Townsend. This is the great year for local enterprise, and permanent improvements will be limited only by the capacity of the brick yards at Point Wilson, the stone quarry on the opposite side of the bay, the Port Townsend sawmill at Point Hudson, the [illegible] work [illegible] to do the work. One day [illegible] made the rounds of the architects and builders and obtained the following list:

[illegible]

E. [illegible] Brick business block, [illegible] Water and [illegible] streets, $[illegible]

[illegible]

Odd Fellows [illegible] Brick and frame [illegible]

George Starrett—Brick business block, two [illegible] Water, near Taylor, $[illegible]

First Presbyterian society—Brick and frame church, [illegible] Polk, $20,000.

Independent Order of Good Templars—Two-story frame building for hall, corner Maple avenue and Jefferson, $5000.

W. H. H. Learned—Brick and frame dwelling, corner Harrison street and Lawrence avenue, $6000.

Mrs. Jessie McAlmon—Two frame cottages, East [illegible] addition, $5000.

A. W. Bash—Dwelling, Mountain View addition, $[illegible]

L. W. Pettygrove—Double dwelling, Maple avenue, $5000.

Jones & Lipsitt—Two double dwellings, Hastings addition, $6000.

O. C. Hastings—Two cottages, Clay street, $2500.

J. S. Daly, architect, has the following work on hand:

J. A. Kuhn—Brick business block, corner Water and Tyler, 100x[illegible], three stories and basement, $60,000.

[illegible] H. L. Tibbals, adjoining Kuhn—Brick [illegible] three stories and basement, $[illegible]

H. [illegible]—Dwelling, [illegible] hill, $[illegible]

J. S. Hogg—Dwelling, Kuhn's hill, $4000.

These are being built under the plans of architects living outside of Port Townsend, but under the supervision of local superintendents of construction:

Hastings Estate—Brick business block, corner Water and Taylor streets, 50x100, three stories and basement, $50,000.

James [illegible] Hastings block, corner Water and Tyler, [illegible] three stories and basement, $24,000.

Congregational church, $5000.

Methodist Episcopal church, $10,000.

Preliminary designs have been prepared for the following, which will be commenced within a month:

Dr. S. D. Hill—Brick business block, corner Water and Quincy, three stories and basement, [illegible] $[illegible]

Fred Katz—Brick business block, between Quincy and Adams, [illegible] three stories and basement, $[illegible]

Besides the above mentioned there are now in course of construction seventy dwellings, ranging in value from $600 to $[illegible], and contracts have been let for over [illegible] more dwellings to be erected during the next three months. More than forty frame buildings for business purposes are going up, and several wharves and warehouses are being prepared for. The cost of unenumerated buildings erected within the past three months is not less than $[illegible], and the total for the year of unenumerated structures will probably exceed $[illegible].

In addition to buildings erected by private enterprise [illegible] the government will build a custom house [illegible] and the county will erect a court house [illegible]. The total value of buildings which will be in progress the next two months will therefore not be under $1,000,000.

Add to the erection of buildings the construction of the Port Townsend Southern Railway, which will give this city direct connection with the transcontinental lines, [illegible]

The Kuhn, the Tibbals, and Bank of Washington [illegible] the handsomest block in Washington territory.

MORE HOUSES NEEDED.

To the Editor of The Oregonian:

[illegible] Tenth [illegible] steady tenant, and during the last two [illegible] [illegible] for small house keeping. People are [illegible] I feel very sorry to have to disappoint so many.

F.

Thousands of cures follow the use of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy. 50 cents.

A Cough is Quickly Cured

By taking Mother Cary's (Eucalyptus) Gum Tree Cough Syrup. It does not affect the stomach or bind the bowels. Skidmore & Co. agents, 151 First street, Portland, Or.

NEWS NOTES FROM ALBINA.

A Number of Interesting Items Collected by the "Oregonian's" Energetic Correspondent.

Considerable reckless racing has [illegible] of late between the riverside [illegible] Portland and Albina. Where [illegible] the method of travelling [illegible] who are kept in [illegible]. There is no occasion for this, as the boats have had serious accidents enough already, and when too late the question will arise, "Who is to blame?" to be answered as usual, "Nobody."

WILL BE SETTLED [illegible]

Ignatz Grueninger either seems to be a greatly abused man, or else he is persecuting some one. In the police court yesterday he appeared as the plaintiff against Mansmetti Favetti, charged with assault and battery. The case evidently not amounting to much, the defendant was released on his own recognizance until the case can be disposed of.

In the afternoon Grueninger swore out a warrant in Justice Phelan's court against A. Castello, charging him with [illegible] the plaintiff's dwelling house. It will be remembered that the Grueninger family separated some time ago, the wife taking up with the above defendant with her four children. The plaintiff says the runaway wife and her paramour have taken away all of his furniture, turned his chickens out, torn away his doorstep, broken his windows, strung wires across his pathway and made his life miserable.

WILL PARTICIPATE.

The Albina fire company held their regular meeting last Wednesday evening, at Hill's hall, as the fire bell with solemn twangs chimed the meeting hour. There was a large attendance, and it was unanimously carried that the boys dress up in their nobby suits, and accept the invitation to participate in the grand parade to take place in Portland, the 30th inst., in commemoration of the inauguration of our first president, General George Washington. Committees have been appointed to make arrangements and decorate the hose cart in grand style. All the ladies of Albina will be called on to furnish flowers and decorations, especially flowers. A special meeting will be held Monday evening to perfect arrangements.

AN EXCURSION.

The Ladies' Union Relief society will give their postponed picnic to Vancouver tomorrow (Saturday), rain or shine. However, it is hoped that it will shine. There will not be any occasion to put up lunch, as the society will make every provision to [illegible] refreshments on board the boat [illegible]

SUBSCRIPTIONS [illegible]

Mr. R. [illegible] the Willamette [illegible] Albina [illegible] after the road is completed [illegible]

MOVING THE HOUSE.

Mr. C. H. Hill has purchased the [illegible] and will remove the same [illegible] sold the house, [illegible] on the vacated ground.

NEW BANK.

Pickard and Smith, contractors, will soon erect a large and fine brick building [illegible] Chapman street, to be used as [illegible]. No better sign is needed [illegible] Albina when it becomes necessary to have banking houses.

SMALL BUSINESS.

Some would be smarty has at different times taken the street lamps and carried them some distance [illegible]. Chief of Police McCarthy says he will [illegible] for the arrest and conviction of the guilty party.

WONDERS OF THE HUMAN BODY.

The skin contains more than 2,000,000 openings, which are the outlets of an equal number of sweat glands. The human skeleton consists of more than 200 distinct bones. An amount of blood equal to the whole quantity of the body passes through the heart once every minute. The full capacity of the lungs is about 320 cubic inches. About two-thirds of a pint of air is inhaled in each breath in ordinary respiration. The stomach daily produces nine pounds of gastric juice for digestion of food; its capacity is about five pints.

There are more than 500 separate muscles in the body, with an equal number of nerves and blood vessels. The weight of the heart is from 8 to 12 ounces. It beats 100,000 times in 24 hours. Each respiratory duct is one-fourth of an inch in length, of the whole about 9 miles. The average man takes 5½ pounds of food and drink each day, which amounts to one ton of solid and liquid nourishment annually. A man breathes 18 times a minute, and 3000 cubic feet, or about 375 hogsheads, of air every hour of his existence.

To keep the system in perfect order no remedy is so good as electricity, and that is proving itself the most efficacious of all known treatments. Dr. Darrin submits the following cures recently performed through this subtle agent:

Recent Cures Performed by Dr. Darrin.

Rev. J. E. Cornour, Portland, Or., skin disease, cured.

W. P. Binkley, Centralia, W. T., sciatic rheumatism, restored.

J. T. George, Glenedon, W. T., chronic rheumatism five years, cured.

Mrs. Mary A. Johnson, Salem, Oregon, deafness many years, restored.

C. F. Mayhew, 183 D street, Portland, rheumatism in its worst form, cured.

Mrs. J. Ellis, 325 Clay street Portland, Or., deafness and diseases peculiar to her sex, cured.

D. S. Wells, four miles north of Albina, on Vancouver road, deafness five years, cured.

Charles Magnusson, Salem, Or., asthma so he could scarcely walk or sleep, restored.

J. W. Keeney, Long creek, Grant county, Or., kidney complaint and pains in the back and down the sciatic nerves, restored.

White Clark, 191 Front street, Portland, discharging ear twelve years, cured.

D. J. Graham's child, Sheridan, Or., painfully afflicted with granulated conjunctivitis, complicated with ulcers of the eyeballs for nine months, cured.

David Ross' son, Woodland, W. T., painful hip disease, had to be carried to the doctor's office, cured. Mr. Ross has a daughter residing at the Merchants hotel, Portland, and can be referred to.

Drs. Darrin's Place of Business.

Drs. Darrin can be consulted free at 235 Fifth street corner of Main, Portland, and Occident hotel, Astoria, Oregon, until further notice. Office hours, from 10 to 4 o'clock daily; evenings, 7 to 8; Sundays, 10 to 12. All curable chronic diseases, loss of manhood, blood taints, syphilis, gleet, gonorrhoea, stricture, spermatorrhoea, seminal weakness, or loss of desire of sexual power, in man or woman, catarrh and deafness, are confidentially and successfully treated. Cures of private diseases guaranteed, and never published in the papers. Circulars sent free. Most cases can receive home treatment after a visit to the doctors' office.

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CHOICE BARGAINS.

$2700—House and lot, 60x100 feet, Eighteenth and P sts., Portland.

$1360—Four choice lots, Albina Homestead.

$1100—Fine corner lot on Fifth st., Holladay's addition.

$900—Choice corner lot on Twentieth, near motor, East Portland.

$20 per acre—126 acres, 12 miles from Portland, half mile from railroad, good timber.

$20 per acre—Farm, 160 acres, 50 improved, 40 almost ready for plow, good soil, near river and railroad.

Small tracts of choice land on Johnson Butte, six miles southeast of Morrison street bridge, good soil, good view. GOODNOUGH & JOHNSON, Northeast corner First & Alder sts.

IF YOU HAVE ANY "MONEY AND COMMON SENSE" INVEST IN THIS WAY.

$ 4,000	For a corner lot with improvements bringing a monthly rent of $38.50.
2,100	For two corner lots, with cottage, stable and nice garden, in South Portland.
1,100	For a quarter block, which, with a like sum for improvement, will earn $20 a month, in East Portland.
20,000	For an improved quarter block now yielding a monthly rent of $155.
[illegible],500	A SPECIAL BARGAIN of a nice improved farm, 167 acres, with house and barn, nice orchard, [illegible] mower, rake, cultivator, good span of horses, wagon and plow.

FOR PARTICULARS CALL ON

J. KRAEMER

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Is the most sightly suburban tract near the city.

It lies just east of the city limits on the Base Line road.

It is over 100 feet above all adjoining properties.

It is within a convenient distance of the Sunnyside motor line.

The lots are all large, being one hundred feet square.

Parties wanting desirable, convenient and sightly property can not do better than to look at this tract.

J. FRED CLARK & SON,

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LINNTON.

The location of the Portland Smelting Company's Works, seven miles from the city, on the Willamette river, has an unrivalled location for beautiful town, and is easily reached by boat or railroad. Work on the smelter plant of 150 tons per day capacity will be pushed forward to completion.

This is the most important enterprise that has come to this city for years.

Lots and blocks in townsite. For maps and particulars call on

A. E. BORTHWICK,

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FOR SALE.

Cheap lots in Auer's addition (Tibbett's donation land claim, between Nineteenth and Twenty-first streets) city of East Portland. Price from $450 to $500. Terms, $100 cash, balance $10 monthly. No interest or taxes to pay for the first year.

For particulars apply on the ground of MR. AUER.

At Portland of MAX SMITH, corner Second and Washington streets, the Vienna.

I WONDER

If Phillips Butte would not be a good place to speculate. It lies [illegible] miles southeast of the Morrison street bridge and is one of the [illegible] spots on earth. Here, in a few years, land will be worth as much as it is today on Mount Tabor.

If you want to know more, call on us, and we will show you our ten and twenty acre tracts at [illegible] a piece per acre, one third cash.

LAMBERT & SARGENT

1147 Fourth Street, East Portland.

MONEY TO LOAN

[illegible]

W. H. H. Grant and H. Bennett,

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We have several tracts situated [illegible] favorable locations, and it will pay you to call and see us.

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160 acres near North Yamhill, 136 acres in cultivation, orchard, house and barns, stock, farm implements and growing crops	$7000
100 acres, [illegible] orchard, house and barn, [illegible] Portland	4500
40 acres, 20 [illegible] cultivation, [illegible] timber, 2 houses [illegible] Portland	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
30 acres near [illegible]	2000
[illegible] acres, [illegible] 12 acres [illegible]	2000
70 acres, 20 acres [illegible] orchard [illegible]	2750
160 acres [illegible]	3200

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$45 PER ACRE

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1850	[illegible]
2200	[illegible]
625	[illegible]

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PORTLAND AND VICINITY.

[illegible] AND MONEY.—Colonel Frank J. [illegible] accidentally discovered a few days since, [illegible] Governor Shoup, of Idaho, and William King, [illegible] of the celebrated "Molten Lode," Coeur [illegible], are old comrades of his, and were with [illegible] at the dreadful battle of Indians in Colorado, [illegible] years ago, which has gone down to [illegible] as Chippington's massacre. Colonel Parker [illegible] that memorable occasion twenty-four [illegible] Indians, Kiowas, Comanches, Arrapa[illegible], Kickapoos, etc., were slaughtered before [illegible]. Colonel Parker had stood at the helm [illegible] government prairie schooner and navigated a [illegible] from San Diego to Colorado to get at [illegible] bloodthirsty Indians. "And just to think of [illegible] said the Colonel, "the three of us who, on that [illegible] morning were wading through snow [illegible] and slaughtering Indians, have [illegible] the lode and all the money we want."

[illegible] HAY, AND POETRY.—The luxuriant [illegible] the south plaza block was being cut yes[terday] and many persons stopped to admire the [illegible] with which the mower turned up a [illegible] or to watch him as he whet his ringing [illegible]. There is lots of poetry connected with [illegible] at a man mowing. One thinks of Maud [illegible] as he smells the fragrance of the new[-mown] hay, and longs to try his hand at the job as [he] watches the graceful swing of the mower, and [illegible] keen blade shave the turf of its verdant [illegible]. But an hour or so at that kind of work is [enough] to knock a whole bucketful of poetry and two [illegible] of sweat out of any one, and make a man's [illegible] until he imagines the joints need oil[ing] and put him in a frame of mind which [illegible] him ready to fall down and worship a [mowing] machine.

[TEACHERS'] INSTITUTE.—The teachers of the [illegible] judicial district and Yamhill county will [hold] an institute at McMinnville May 1, 2 and 3. [The] executive committee consists of the follow[ing] county superintendents: Lee H. Baker, Yam[hill] county; L. M. Curl, Linn county; W. I. Rey[illegible], Polk county; D. W. Yoder, Marion county; [illegible] by, Tillamook county. A good pro[gramme] has been arranged. Addresses and lec[tures] will be delivered by T. G. Brownson, presi[dent] of McMinnville college; County Superintend[ent] [illegible] of Linn county; E. Morrison, president [of] the Friends Pacific academy; D. T. Stanley, [illegible] of Multnomah Normal school; and [illegible] R. L. Arnold, of the State Agricultural [college].

[illegible] STABBING.—Mr. W. W. Page who was [at] Salem on Wednesday states that a serious [illegible] took place there on that day. Two [men] whose names he did not learn had been [drinking] together and finally got into a dispute as [to] [illegible] dance best, when one of them went [and] bought a knife and returning, cut the [other] in several places, inflicting injuries which it [is feared] would prove fatal. It is an old saying [that he] laughs best who laughs last, and this ap[plies] equal force to dancing. Should the [wounded] man die, the other will prove him[self the] dancer, as he will not only dance last, [but will] probably dance on nothing.

[illegible] ARRANGED.—Everything con[nected] with the rescue and towing into port of [the] [illegible] schooner George H. Chance, of the [illegible] Deep Sea Fishing Company, has been [satisfac]torily arranged. Dr. Chance says the com[pany] are under many obligations to Messrs. Will[iam] [illegible] and Wallis Nash for friendly services in [the] matter. The machinery for the schooner will [be brought] up from San Francisco by the steam[er] [of] the Oregon Development Company and will [be put] in at the Oregon Pacific Company's shops [at] Yaquina. The delay caused by the accident to [the] vessel is unfortunate, as there has been a great [scarcity] of fish in this market.

[THE] STEAMER IDAHO.—A dispatch was received [yes]terday evening from Mr. B. Campbell, general [freight] agent of the O. R. & N. Co., who is at Se[attle], stating that the steamer Idaho would sail [from] this port on Thursday, May 2, for Port Ange[les], Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver, and New [Westminster]. Freight taken by her for Sound [points] will be transferred to one of the company's [boats on] the Sound. The Idaho is making good [time] [illegible], as she was not expected [to make] so soon. If she keeps it up she will [be a] valuable addition to the transportation fa[cilities] between this city and the Sound and Brit[ish] Columbia.

[FOURTH] PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—County [Commis]sioner Hackeney, P. R. Morey and Dr. Plum[mer] are soliciting subscriptions to build the new [Fourth] Presbyterian church on First and Gibbs [streets]. Up to last night they had raised $2000, [illegible] to be collected. This money will be [used in] purchasing a quarter of a block on the [site] mentioned. A year ago last Christmas [W.] S. Ladd presented the church a piece of [property] which will be sold for about $3500 and [the] money will be spent in building the church.

[PHYSICAL] CULTURE.—Miss Mabel Jenness or[ganized] a class of sixty ladies yesterday, in physi[cal] culture, and as there were several whose [names] appear on the list of signers last week, and [who] were unable to appear, but will be in the [class] to-day, Miss Jenness can rely on at least [seventy]-five scholars here. This will positively [be] the only course given by Miss Jenness in Port[land], as she leaves for Denver immediately after [giving] the six lessons, so all that desire must re[port] to-day at Masonic hall, at 3 P. M., sharp.

THEY ARE DOING A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS ALSO [OUTSIDE] OF PORTLAND.—The Portland Mercantile [Agency], which is managed and owned by Messrs. [illegible] Bush & William Hahn, 196 First street, long [and] well known residents of this city, are not [only] doing a large business here in Portland, but [in] Washington territory, Idaho and Cali[fornia]. The agency here is doing a general col[lecting] business, and any accounts placed into [their] hands will receive careful and prompt at[tention].

THE NEW DRAMATIC SEASON.—Mr. Joseph R. [Gris]mer, Miss Phoebe Davis and the company [passed] Medford yesterday en route to Portland, [where] a week's engagement will be played at New [Park] theater. The company appeared last night [at] Eugene City; they appear at Albany this even[ing] and at Salem to-morrow evening. The com[pany] will arrive here Sunday morning, and the [new] season is to open next Monday evening.

A CRAZY TEA TO-NIGHT.—The Relief Corps of [George] Wright post, G. A. R., will give a "crazy [tea]" at Grand Army hall to-night. Miss May [illegible], Miss Eva Davenport and Mr. John Gwilt [are] down on the programme for musical selec[tions], and Miss Blodgett, the well-known elocu[tionist], will favor the audience with a recitation. [After] the entertainment supper will be served, [after] which there will be dancing.

NEW CANNING COMPANY.—S. A. Miller goes to [Ashland] this morning, where he will meet C. B. [illegible] and D. H. Getchell, the three organizing [the] Ashland Packing Company, with a capital of [$]6000. They have a location near Ashland, a [subsidy] of $3000, water free for one year, and will [can] fruit. Ashland is a splendid fruit country, [and] the new corporation shows judgment in the [selection] of their site.—*Astorian.*

EXCURSION.—The ladies of Taylor street M. E. [church] will give an excursion to the Cascades, [Saturday], April 27, 1889. The elegant steamer Un[atilla] has been chartered, and with beautiful scen[ery], music and games all may have a pleasant [time]. Will leave the foot of Taylor street at 8 A. M., rain or shine. Ice cream, coffee, sandwiches [served] on the boat. Round trip tickets $1, chil[dren] 50 cents.

[NO] DECISION YET.—County Judge Catlin and [County] Commissioners Dunn and Smith have not [yet] arrived at a decision in the application of the [citizens] of East Portland for a reduction of the [maximum] rates of toll on the Morrison-street [bridge and] Stark-street ferry. They have under [consideration] a mass of facts and figures, and it [is expected] that they will decide in a day or two.

[COLD] STORAGE WHARF.—Mr. Joseph Smith, who [has] the contract for driving the piling for the [cold] storage warehouse on Front street, near the [Albina] ferry, has completed one portion 65x90 [feet and] is now putting on the floor. A part of [the] other division 170x55 is completed and he is [now] waiting for the arrival of piles with which to [complete] the job.

THE PROSPECT GOOD.—The prospects are unusu[ally] favorable for a magnificent crop of strawber[ries]. All, however, depends upon the weather. [If we] have warm, bright weather the first Oregon [straw]berries will be in market in from ten to fif[teen] days, but should rains come it will be longer [before] strawberries and cream are plentiful.

MONTHLY SOCIALS.—The first of a series of [monthly] socials for young people will be held this [evening] at the First Congregational church. All [young] men and women in the city and especially [such] as are strangers are cordially invited to come [and] enjoy a pleasant and entertaining hour. A [good] literary programme is prepared.

WHAT IS IT FOR.—On Second street, between Washington and Stark, is a hitching post with a [dog] at the top. The post is neatly but not gaud[ily] painted a sickly yellow, and on two sides is [painted] in plain black letters, "hitch no horses." [Just] what the post is for is a conundrum, but [prob]ably it is to hitch mules to.

[SOON] BE COMPLETED.—The Columbia River Lum[ber] and Fuel Company have the boilers for their [saw] mills in position, and the job of bricking [them] in will soon be completed. They expect to [have] a saw running in about two weeks, and will [first] cut lumber for a flume, and down this will [flow] lumber to build a wharf.

A PURSE FOR ARCHBISHOP GROSS.—To-night the [con]gregation of the Cathedral parish will present a [purse] to Archbishop Gross, who will depart for [Rome] in a few days. The presentation will take [place] in the basement of the cathedral on Stark [street], and the address will be made by Mr. Charles [J.] J. Malarkey.

DR. HOUGHTON'S LECTURE.—At Grace church [this] evening at 7:45 Dr. Ross C. Haughton will [give] his regular monthly lecture. The exercises [will open] with a short musical programme. The [lecture] will be the first of a brief series on "The [His]torical Writers of America." Lecture free. All [are] welcome.

JUDGE SHATTUCK'S PLACE SOLD.—Judge E. D. Shattuck of the state circuit court, has sold his [place] between four and five miles southwest of [the city] to Frank Wenderoth. He had 640 acres, [which] brought $48,000, or $120 an acre.

[OREGON] EVANGELISTS.—The sixth annual ses[sion] of the Oregon conference of the Evangelical [church] will convene at Corvallis May 2. Bishop [J. J.] Esher, of Chicago, will preside.

[illegible] SATURDAY, special hat sale for [illegible] [illegible] at Kohn's, corner Second and Morrison.

THE COOS BAY JETTY.—Mr. P. O'Neil, who has a contract for building a jetty for the improvement of Coos bay, has gone down there to commence operations. The beginning of the work has been delayed somewhat on account of a difficulty experienced in finding a good stone quarry. Captain W. Young, of the U. S. engineers, found a quarry of first-class stone conveniently located on the claims of James Rupe and Charles Higgins, and has been authorized to purchase them. Mr. O'Neil has chartered the steamer Volga at Astoria to do his towing, and his scows are being built at Coos bay, and are about completed.

CONTRACT AWARDED.—The county commissioners' court have awarded the contract for the iron work of the new south wing of the court house to Wolff & Zwicker of this city. Their bid was $5495, which was not the lowest however, the bid of the Western Iron Works of San Francisco being $1628 less.

ROOFING THE HOTEL.—J. C. Bayer, who has the contract to put the slate roof on the new hotel, also to do the copper work, began work on the Yamhill side of the big building yesterday. He has twenty-five men employed. The contract calls for the completion of the work within sixty days.

DANGEROUS IF TRUE.—It is said that persons engaged in excavating on Fifteenth and Market streets are greatly endangering the lives of persons passing, by the careless use of blasting powder. If the report be true, the parties engaged in the blasting are liable to arrest.

ONIONS COMING IN.—Several loads of onions were brought in from Washington county yesterday. They were sold for $1 75 per sack, but this is not a very remunerative price when it is known that out of three sacks only one can be selected which are fit for market.

TO-DAY AND SATURDAY the Opera Millinery Store, 67 Morrison street, will close out all their black straws and a line of children's sailors at tremendously reduced prices, for these days only. They have also received an elegant line of new shapes and trimmings.

SAVE YOUR DOLLAR.—People who wish to attend J. Selling & Co's. stereopticon entertainment and fail to provide themselves with a ticket will be charged $1.00 at the door. Proceeds to go to Orphans Home. Tickets free until Monday 6 P. M. at J. Selling & Co's.

A NON PARTISAN TICKET.—A number of politicians are talking over the advisability of nominating a non partisan ticket for councilmen at the coming June election. They are thinking also of nominating a candidate for police commissioner.

KID GLOVES.—J. Selling & Co. will offer Saturday their celebrated Alma 5-button kid gloves at 50 cents per pair. All ladies purchasing them before will recommend them to their neighbors and call for them at Selling's on Saturday.

CHARGES IGNORED.—The grand jury has returned not true bills in the cases of John Kelly, charged with assaulting William Linit, and Jong Jaw, accused of stealing $110 from King Tai.

THE BUILDING COMMITTEE for the hospital annex to the Children's Home will meet at Mrs. Goldsmith's, corner of Eighth and Taylor, at 10:30 A. M. to-day.

THE ENGAGEMENT of Miss Clara Simon and Leopold Kahen is announced. At home Saturday, Sunday and Wednesday, at 255 Morrison street.

TAKE THE LADIES and the little ones to see the giant horse on Third street near Yamhill.

PLEATED WHITE SHIRTS, fine quality, $1 each, at Kohn's, corner Second and Morrison.

CHILDREN'S SUITS, fine lot for boys, ages 4 to 13 years; prices $3 to $5, at corner Second and Morrison.

[illegible] UNDERWEAR, $1 50 a suit, at Kohn's, corner Second and Morrison.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Bright, Sunshiny Weather Brings Out the Buyers and Revives Business.

The fine weather yesterday brought out the real estate buyers and the dealings were larger than for any day this month. There were filed sixteen deeds, aggregating $186,420, an average of $3526, making the total number of deeds filed so far this month, 489; value of the transactions, $1,180,640 09.

Since January 1 to date there have been filed 2111 deeds, aggregating $4,587,841 97.

DEEDS RECORDED APRIL 25.

L. D. Brown and wife to Isabella M. Slaughter et al., lots 7, 8, 9, 32, 33 and 30, block 17, and lots 35, 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40, block 2, Willamette add, April 24; $1200.

V. Kratz and wife to R. D. Cooper, 19 87-100 acres, sec. 35, 1 N, 1 E, April 19; $7200.

J. C. Moreland et al to V. Kratz, trustee, 19 87-100 acres, sec. 35, 1 N, 1 E, April 22; $40,000.

W. G. Register and wife to Rose F. Glover, lots 3 and 4, block 5, Albina, April 10; $3000.

Penumbra Kelly, sheriff, to A. Peters, lots 8, 9, 10 and 11, blk 11, Park add, to Albina, April 23; $166 50.

Lewis Metzger and wife to Aurelia H. Haskel, 38 acres, secs. 9 and 16, 1 S, 2 E, April 25; $1000.

E. D. Shattuck and wife to Frank Wenderoth, 240 acres, sec. 18, 1 S, 1 E, April 22; $48,000.

J. S. Goldsmith to John Foss, lot 1, blk 15, Smith's add, East Portland, April 22; $175.

Jas. Surman to Mary R. Kephart, lot 11 blk 7, Cloverdale extension, April 25; $270.

M. J. Nolan to Chas. Nolan, undivided ½ interest in lot 4, blk 7, E. Irving's add., April 15; $1.

M. J. Nolan to Kattie Nolan et al, lot 5, blk 7, E. Irving's add., April 15; $1.

John H. Hall et al. to Jos. Buckhart et al., 50x99½ feet of blk 61, East Portland, April 20; $30,100.

N. McCoy and wife to C. W. Pock, E ½ of W ½ of lots 7 and 8, blk 197, East Portland, April 22; $6420.

Aaron Meier and wife to Charles Blakely, parts of blk 26 in B. C. Carter's add, April 24; $15.

Aaron Meier and wife to Charles Blakely, parts of blk 26 in B. C. Carter's add, April 24; $1487 50.

Isaac Meyer to A. Cookingham et al., 5 acres, DeLashmutt & Oatman's Little Homes, April 25; $600.

BOND FOR DEED.

John Foster to Robert Bell, 75 60-100 acres, secs 5 and 8, 1 N, 1 E, also 150 acres, secs 4 and 5, 1 N, 1 E, September 7, 1888; $15,000.

CLACKAMAS COUNTY TRANSFERS, APRIL 25.

[Reported at noon by Willamette Falls Real Estate office, Second and Morrison streets, Portland.]

James Athey and wife to Sarah A. Campbell, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, blk 66 Oregon City $2000.

Thomas T. Smith and wife and B. F. Smith, to Olive Confer, lots 1 and 2 Sec 34, Tp 2 S, R 2 E, also N E ¼ S W ¼ and lots 3 and 4, Sec 33, Tp 2 S, R 2 E, also 10 in S W ¼ of N E ¼ of Sec 34 T 2 S, R 2 E, $2000.

O. & C. R. R. to Hugh M. Pugh N E ¼ of S W ¼ Sec 11, Tp 3 S, R 2 E $120.

Ellen Blanchard to J. W. Draper, lot 7, blk "A," also lot 2, blk "A," in Canemah $1.

John Stipp to Hezekiah Stipp five acres in D. L. C. of William Russell and wife Sec 21, Tp 4 S, R 2 E, $75.

Elmer E. Charman and wife and Mary M. Charman to John A Confer, blk 20, Clackamas Heights, $100.

John L. Burnhardt and Annie Burnhardt to Abraham Hag r, 15.16 acres in D. L. C. of George Crow and wife, Sec 1 and 2, Tp 2 S, R 1 E, $1625 75.

Total $5921 75.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

We are engraving a new map of Portland, with special reference to additions. It will cost you nothing to have your addition shown on the map if location is furnished us. The Lewis and Dryden Printing Company, map engravers, OREGONIAN building.

EASTER SERVICES—ST. PAUL M. E. CHURCH.

The Easter services at St. Paul's church, this city, Sunday, were very interesting and successful. The church at an early hour in the morning was filled with eager worshipers. Pastor Cline preached a brief sermon on the "Resurrection of Jesus," which was followed by appropriate recitations and songs from members of the Sunday-school, the whole concluding with a collection for missions. This church is fast coming to the front in good works. Forty dollars were paid last year for missions. They now have in sight for this year $160 and will easily go beyond that. The following is a list of Sunday-school scholars who did noble work in collecting missionary money: Mary Johnson, Edna Hamm, Fannie May Cline, Nellie Wood, Edna Johnson, Eddie Hultt, Eva Hultt, Nellie Byers, Grace T. Cline, Ira Byers, Ray Byers, Irene Shelton, Lucena Johnson.

BRIEF MENTION.

All the musical talent of the city are ready to declare that the Matchless Decker Brothers' piano is the leading piano manufactured. The Kohler & Chase Music House, 71 Morrison, are the sole agents in the Northwest for this magnificent instrument.

Tickets to and from Europe.

Excursion tickets to Paris sold at Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

Take the Northern Pacific Railroad, the dining-car route for all points East. Office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

"HACKMETACK" a lasting and fragrant perfume. Price 25 and 50 cents. Skidmore & Co., druggists.

Young Ladies' Journal and other fashion plates for May at Ed Dekum's.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

Cabinet Photos $4 per doz, at Thwaite's, 167 First.

The Vienna,

Washington street, leads all for lunches and oysters.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria;
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria;
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria;
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

U. S. SIGNAL SERVICE WEATHER REPORT.

PORTLAND, OR., April 25, 1889.

Place of Observation.	Hight of Bar.	Ch'ge last 12 hours	Temp.	Wind direction	Rainfall inch	State of Weather.
Portland	30.04	—32	70	N W	.00	Cloudles
Olympia	30.24	—14	6[illegible]	N E	.00	Cloudy
Roseburg	30.06	—18	72	N W	.00	PtlyCldy
Red Bluff	30.02	—10	84	S	.00	PtlyCldy
Sacramento	30.04	—04	78	N	.00	Cloudles
Eureka	30.14	......	56	W	.00	Cloudy
Port Angeles	30.28	—04	54	Calm	.00	PtlyCldy
Spokane	30.24	......	68	W	.00	Cloudles
Walla Walla	30.22	......	70	N	.00	Cloudles
Canby	30.20	—18	54	N	.00	Cloudy

Local Report.

Pacific Coast Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Rltv. Hum.	Direc. of Wind	Vloc. of Wind	Rain	Wthr.
5 A. M.	30.30	46	92	NW	6	.03	Cldy
5 P. M.	30.04	70	42	NW	8	.00	Cldl's

Maximum temperature, 74.0; minimum temperature, 44; hight of river at 5 A. M., 5.8 feet; change in past 24 hours, 0.1 feet.

	Normal.	Mean.	Excess or deficiency since 1st.	Departure from Normal.	Excess or deficiency since Jan. 1, 1889.
Temperature	53	58	5	70	.295
Precipitation	.11	08	.06	—.17	—13.29

Average precipitation from July 1 to date, 45.65.
Total precipitation from July 1, '88, to date, 27.08.
Deficiency in precipitation from July 1, '88, to date, 18.57.

PASSENGER LISTS.

OVERLAND.

Northern Pacific—Passed Garrison, April 24: A. H. Eakings, Mrs. Murphy, H. W. Cordon, J. Dempsey, Mrs. J. Dempsey, W. E. Chopera, D. Costigan, W. J. Greenberg, R. M. Hartern, H. W. McNeil, C. E. Ellis, A. W. Landsbrown, W. H. Thurston, and seventy-five second-class.

Oregon Short Line—Passed Huntington April 25: J. W. Duval, A. Mason, Mrs. A. Meyers, Mrs. A. R. Burdick, Miss Burdick, A. E. White, Mrs. C. B. Atkins, F. Glenslow, H. Rey, M. Casey, A. McCulloch, E. W. Hanson, E. McCormack, G. W. Bishop, G. Redfield, W. Roberts R. Sharkey, Mrs. Sharkey, G. R. Robins, Mrs. S. M. Frazier, Hugh Russell, Geo. W. Simons, A. J. Perry, W. L. Colville, and 125 second-class.

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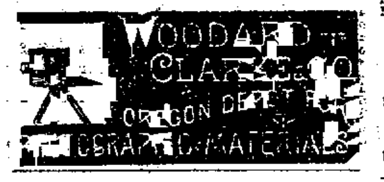

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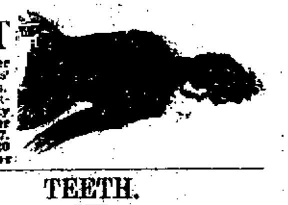

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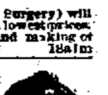

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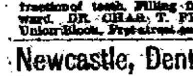

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OREGON'S HEAVIEST LOAD

In[illegible] state [illegible] motoriously unfair and [illegible] taxation of moneys and credits. True the money and credits are not often found but their owners cannot always be sure of protecting themselves against spoliation [illegible] capital avoids our state and flows into Washington territory. It is no exaggeration to say that millions of capital owned in Oregon have been transferred to Washington on this account.

The effort to tax money and credits at higher rates than visible and tangible property leads to demoralization [illegible] small part necessarily [illegible] is continued under the demagogue's cry that capital will escape [illegible] Argument is useless and it is even useless [illegible] money and credits should be [illegible] fairly. Such people do [illegible] capital treated fairly, money lending [illegible] they are determined to crush it. That is the sort of element that drove through the [illegible] tax law and refuses to see the unfairness of money loaned [illegible] full face of the note given while the land itself is assessed at not over one-fourth of its cash value.

The assessment made last spring, if they are carefully examined, will average $[illegible] an acre in the Willamette valley on farming land, and very little of the best of it is assessed at $[illegible] an acre. Yet this land if for sale at all will be offered at $[illegible] to $[illegible] an acre, and near towns [illegible] to $[illegible] an acre. There is no use in argument, no use in stating such facts even, for there are none so deaf as those who won't hear, or so blind as they who won't see. There is no objection to taxing money and notes where it can be done fairly. But so long as the people don't want it done fairly all fact and argument are utterly wasted.

Make an honest platform based on fair and equal assessment of property, one that will fairly assess land, money, notes and accounts, and all evidences of debt, and place the best men in the county before the people pledged to carry out such a policy, and not a man representing such a platform and pledged to such reform will reach the Oregon legislature. There is no party line in this assertion; it applies to all parties, and means that through false education or want of correct principle there is a want of political honesty among the people. The greater number receive their impressions from the minority, and this minority are demagogues who temporarily hold the popular ear, but their time can not last forever.

Meanwhile, however, the policy of dealing unfairly with money and credits in the matter of taxation is working incalculable injury to our state. Nothing else so retards its growth and progress. Capital avoids a state that deals so unfairly with it. The OREGONIAN thinks it entirely certain that if this unjust and irrational policy be not abandoned or greatly changed Washington within five years will take the lead of Oregon in population, industry and wealth. And to this position Washington will be greatly aided by vast amounts of capital which are being transferred steadily from a state where money and credits are subject to a most unequal and oppressive taxation to a state that has sufficient intelligence and justice to treat them fairly. The remedy is simple. Let other property be assessed at its fair value, and then the capital represented by money and credits will not complain.

AN INDUSTRIAL CRUSADE

[illegible] for months gathering force reached its climax this week, and the inevitable retrograde steps have begun. Never before in the history of the nation—perhaps never before in the history of the world—was such a scene enacted as that which was witnessed during the [illegible] days of the week in the frantic rush of [illegible] 000 people for government lands, the area of which would be exhausted in homestead allotments to 20,000. The mining excitement that sent thousands of men across the Rocky mountains to California in 1850 was the nearest approach to anything of the kind that has been recorded, and this does not furnish a parallel case, since there is neither gold nor silver in Oklahoma to excite the imagination and induce dreams of sudden and fabulous wealth. The inducement was merely land, average farming land, of a quality similar to that which can be purchased at reasonable rates in Western states, and which is still open to homestead in many sections of the Northwest. The immigrants desired the land for agricultural purposes only, and expected to pay the regular government price of $1.25 per acre for it, and yet men grew perfectly wild over the prospect, in many instances selling lands [illegible] household effects at a pecuniary sacrifice and abandoning good situations in order to join the throng that pressed eagerly toward Indian territory.

[illegible] had no part in this movement. Men of the [illegible] hundreds, but men of the easy going type [illegible] turn the virtue of contentment into stolid indifference as to their present [illegible] financial independence [illegible] ranks of the eager boomers. The spirit of unrest [illegible] can citizen [illegible] him continually in the direction of new fields is largely responsible [illegible] general rush to Oklahoma. [illegible] the industrial [illegible] of the country. It is [illegible] labors are arduous and [illegible] small to attempt to better their condition, and it is not [illegible] occasions an eagerness [illegible] dence [illegible] ties it urges [illegible] tration of [illegible] wagons going [illegible] last Tuesday and Wednesday [illegible] the border going [illegible] Monday.

A great movement toward new [illegible] cates [illegible] in a rush [illegible] was discovered [illegible]. It is fair to suppose [illegible] of the men who [illegible] sade would have been [illegible] with the apportionment [illegible] lieved awaited them there for a few years at least. In the very nature of things [illegible] people will be disappointed and, gathering their shattered resources together, will cast about for a more promising location. It is easy to condemn the folly that brought them to such a strait, and not difficult to sympathize with them in a disappointment that was induced by a laudable desire and an unwise attempt to better their condition.

The boycott verbally [illegible] Weinhard's beer ordered by the Federated Trades of Portland, [illegible] be extended to [illegible] the same having been endorsed by the [illegible] Brewery Workmen's Union of [illegible] city. This action may be [illegible] but [illegible] certain that the more beer [illegible] by members of the various [illegible] the more money they will have to spend in good clothes, and the sooner they will [illegible] purchase homes on the installment [illegible]. A boycott ordered by [illegible] economy upon beer and tobacco and strictly maintained by individual integrity would in ten years adjust [illegible] differences between labor and capital in this country by making a majority of laborers capitalists to the extent of the homes that they live in and the nucleus for the "rainy day fund" to which every intelligent, prudent laborer aspires. Until such a boycott is established the grievances of labor will be grounded more in personal wastefulness than in capitalistic greed. It is pretty safe to say, however, that the latter is likely to be arraigned as the cause of the laborer's woes for some time yet, since the beer and tobacco habit has become so strong and relatively so universal that it is regarded as a vested right, to maintain which its possessor is willing to fight if necessary.

AN APPROPRIATE REMINDER

[illegible] most appropriately calls to remembrance upon the words of Washington when he was inaugurated the first president of the United States, where by fervent supplication he invoked that "Almighty Being who rules over the universe, who presides in the councils of nations, and whose providential aid can supply every human defect, that his benediction may consecrate to the liberties and happiness of the people of the United States a government instituted by themselves for these essential purposes." How can a people who possess so many blessings better honor the centennial of that [illegible] than by [illegible] that Almighty Being so fervently appealed to then [illegible] the Father of his Country [illegible] the blessings that should make the infant republic a great and prosperous nation?

A hundred years has gone, and the prosperity that has abounded on the soil of America has exceeded all that earth has yet known. Our rulers have been God-fearing men, and now the successor of Washington appeals to his countrymen to spend an hour of that day of remembrance in the sanctuaries of the land, making due recognition of the goodness of God, and rendering homage, as Washington did then, to the mighty hand that led them in safety to freedom.

The century that is gone leaves with us a few who were here when Washington lived, but they live to see the continent mapped into states from shore to shore. All the wilderness between has been redeemed. Our America has been the refuge for the oppressed of all nations, and the influence of true liberty has partially redeemed Europe and has changed the destiny of the world. More than Washington dared to hope has been accomplished. It is a fit time therefore to recall Washington's appeal.

TEMPERANCE LEGISLATION

The *Atlantic* for May contains an able article concerning temperance legislation, its uses and limits. It reaches the public at an interesting moment, when prohibition has been hopelessly defeated in the greatest state of New England, after a most energetic, ardent and thorough popular debate. In substance the *Atlantic's* critic's argument, reduced to its bones and boiled down to its essence, is as follows: The American people have for 100 years been building the principle of government by majority with such thoughtless discrimination that we have come at last to regard the approval of the majority both as the justification of a law and the guarantee of its enforcement, while the possibility of a tyranny of the majority is hardly yet recognized. Out of this philosophical error has grown an unphilosophical legislation that attempts to create moral character by legal enactment. John Milton, though an austere Puritan, had too vast a brain to err in this way, for, protesting against the appointment of government censors of printing, he seeks to show the absurdity of attempting to regulate public morals by citing this very matter of temperance [illegible]

[illegible] Here the [illegible] governing wisdom of a state. The sequestering out of the world [illegible] Atlantick and Eutopian polities, which never be drawn into use, will not mend our condition, but to ordain wisely as in this world of evil, in the midst whereof God hath placed us unavoidably.

Miss Frances Willard, Governor St. John, General Fisk, Senator Blair, Neal Dow and Major Hilton have never comprehended the practical wisdom expressed by this grand old Puritan thinker, who, while abhorring intemperance, kicked prohibition out of doors without ceremony. The statesmen and law makers to this day have followed Milton, while the sentimentalists have taken counsel of their own inadequate inwardness.

Milton enunciated a great principle as sound [illegible] the freedom of the press he was defending. He knew that the main function of laws is not to reform the community, but to impose upon individuals obedience to what has become already the common moral sense. Milton was no Sir Hudibras [illegible] who inquires if prohibition of theft be wise, why not prohibition of liquor selling? Nobody but a hurdy-gurdy reform minstrel on the platform or in the pulpit would ever ask such an absurd question. Ninety-nine men out of a hundred believe that stealing is [illegible] a very great number would not steal [illegible] secure [illegible] punishment. The overwhelming sense of personal self-interest in [illegible] laws against theft and [illegible] of public opinion secures [illegible] prohibition [illegible] may believe it to be [illegible] have no interest in its enforcement. [illegible] there is [illegible]

[illegible] This means the creation of a federal constabulary in every state to enforce prohibition, just as there is a royal Irish constabulary in every county in Ireland to enforce the coercion act with its evictions and kindred barbarities. Such a federal police the American people would not endure for a year. It would be an invitation to revolution.

AN OCTOBER SESSION OF CONGRESS

The announcement that there will probably be an extra session of congress in October justifies the views expressed on this subject last month by Senator Allison of Iowa and fully expressed in the *North American Review* for April. Senator Allison pointed out there was no necessity for an extra session at the beginning of the present administration. The appropriations for the current fiscal year as well as for the fiscal year beginning the 1st of July next were large, so large that the apprehended surplus will be very much diminished. The appropriations for the current fiscal year are only $20,000,000 less than the estimated revenues of the present fiscal year. The appropriations made by congress at the last session were [illegible] 000 less than those for the current year, so that Senator Allison [illegible] excess of revenues over the expenditures for the next fiscal year at $[illegible] against $[illegible] 000 for the current fiscal year. Of this $[illegible] 000,000 nearly one-half will have accumulated by January 1, 1890, but the secretary of the treasury [illegible] 000,000 of excess, either by the purchase of four and a half [illegible] early maturity [illegible] by the purchase of four [illegible] 1907, so that it may be stated that so far as the current revenues are concerned, from this time up to and including the fiscal year 1890 [illegible] it will not be a difficult thing to purchase bonds covering this entire surplus.

If an extra session had been called at the outset of the new administration it would have been impossible to mature and perfect a tariff measure, and all that could have been done would have been to repeal by a joint resolution the tobacco tax, which would relieve the treasury of $30,000,000. This could only have been done by the consent of both parties, so that a small portion of either house in either party could, if disposed, compel a full consideration of the whole question of tariff and internal revenue, and it is not probable that the republicans in the house could have passed a revenue measure at an extra session against filibustering without a prolonged debate and the free exercise of the power of amendment that would emasculate the measure. For these reasons Senator Allison argued that it was easier and better that the extra session of congress should be postponed until the middle or last of October, when congress could convene and remain in continuous session and take up in earnest the whole question of the reduction of taxation by means of a reduction of the internal revenue and a revision of the tariff. The October session will give time for the organization of the house and the house committees, thus putting into such early preparation these revenue measures that they would be considered and completed by April of next year. Senator Allison pointed out that business interests would not suffer by this postponement until October, because the policy of President Harrison would be not to hoard money in the treasury, but to utilize the surplus as far as it can be utilized in the purchase of the interest bearing debt of the United States, first for the bonds presently maturing, and secondly for the bonds due in 1907, so that the situation as respects our revenue and the money in the treasury under this policy will not be materially changed, whether congress is convened in the early spring or late autumn.

As to appropriations, Senator Allison anticipates that our national expenditure in the future are likely to increase year by year, rather than diminish. The appropriations for pensions for the current year were $81,000,000, and yet before congress adjourned a deficiency of $[illegible] was asked and appropriated for pensions, and he expects that an appropriation to meet a still larger deficiency will become necessary next year. The appropriations for the postoffice department, owing to the rapid growth and development of the country, are constantly increasing and are morally certain to continue to increase rapidly. A deficiency in the several appropriations for the next year will be required to complete the naval vessels under contract, and in connection Senator Allison says that it is certain that the policy of the republican party will be to increase considerably the appropriations for the navy next year, in order that we may have at as early a date as possible an effective navy. So it is probable that the appropriations for fortifications, etc., will be considerably increased next year. It is certain that next year a river and harbor bill of considerable magnitude must be passed, because during this year no river and harbor bill passed. Had the bill passed both houses as reported by the committee on rivers and harbors in the house of representatives the surplus for the next fiscal year would have been reduced by $10,000,000 at least, bringing it down to less than $40,000,000.

When the extra session meets in October the contest in the two houses on the reduction of revenues and the revision of the tariff will be a contest on the one hand for the reduction of revenues and with that reduction a scaling down of the tariff to a revenue [illegible] and on the other a revision by such changes and modifications of the tariff as will reduce the revenue and at the same time defend and protect our own industries as against the sharp competition of industries in other countries, and Senator Allison assumes that, in a general way, with [illegible] of the [illegible] the methods [illegible] during the last session [illegible]

Surgeon General Hamilton [illegible] yellow fever at [illegible] and other southern states this season. He has exhausted every device of prudence in the endeavor to keep out the unwelcome guest [illegible] better than ever before [illegible] the disease [illegible] promptly. The chief difficulty always is with the [illegible] beset and rendered uncontrollable by [illegible] who have already [illegible] of [illegible] the scourge. To control the [illegible] without inflicting unnecessary hardship upon them is the puzzle [illegible] and the government health authorities have taken every possible precaution to secure and, if necessary, to protect others by restraining them. Acclimated residents, many of whom have had the fever and are therefore safe, are numerous, and the trouble experienced in the past in securing competent nurses has largely disappeared. It is not likely that the tourist travel will [illegible] to the domain from which it was excluded last year, and in this fact lies the greatest pecuniary loss to the section threatened.

After a truce of a fortnight office-seekers concentrated their forces and made a sortie on the White house yesterday, besieging it for three dreadful hours. The engaging force, or more properly speaking the force wishing to be engaged, bore down upon the weary but smiling president in a column between 1000 and [illegible], [illegible] the siege seemed likely to be converted into a blockade. Such a spectacle has some of the features of a [illegible] and [illegible] grace upon [illegible] in a country where there are plenty of ditches to dig and grubs to take out, and at a time of year when potatoes are [illegible] pound.

A San Francisco dispatch states that choice and fancy grades of butter are "a shade firmer." This, being interpreted, probably means that the commodity put up in short-weight rolls, and saffron-hued pats, claiming respectively to be one and two pounds of "extra choice California dairy butter," is to advance in price in this market.

SCRIBNER'S MAGAZINE FOR MAY CONTAINS.

THE LAND OF THE WINANISHE is the first of the FISHING ARTICLES which will be followed by [illegible] on STRIPED BASS AND TARPON fishing. Dr. Leroy M. Yale and J. G. Aylwin Creighton write of the Lake St. John Region north of Quebec, Canada, where the land-locked salmon is abundant. Superbly illustrated.

THE FREIGHT-CAR SERVICE, by Mr. Theodore Voorhees, describes the manifold wanderings of a freight car and the complicated system which keeps it in motion. With many interesting illustrations.

PHOTOGRAPHY. An absorbingly interesting article on the wonders of photography, by Prof. John Trowbridge. A list of the illustrations indicates the value of the paper.

TOLSTOY 20 YEARS AGO. Mr. Eugene Schuyler gives in this paper, which will be concluded next month, his personal reminiscences of Tolstoy, with many conversations now first published. Illustrated by many interesting portraits.

SHORT STORIES AND PAPERS include "The Dilemma of Sir Guy the Neuter," by Octave Thanet, the second and concluding part of "Jeanne," by J. E. Curran; "Fiction as a Literary Form," by Hamilton W. Mabie, and a new chapter of Robert Louis Stevenson's stirring serial "The Master of Ballantrae."

THE LACK OF OLD HOMES in America, by Charles Eliot Norton, forms a charming end paper this month.

25 Cents a Number; $3.00 a Year.

CHARLES SCRIBNER'S SONS, NEW YORK.

The rate at which creameries have increased in Oregon during the past year prom[illegible] emancipation from California butter early in the season for those who can afford the price asked for the Oregon product.

[illegible]

MEETING NOTICES

The Free [illegible] residents are [illegible] to meet [illegible] evening, April 26, at [illegible] to make arrangements for the [illegible] celebration. [illegible] J. GODARD.

Hall of Industry Lodge No. 8, A. O. U. W.—All the members of Industry Lodge No. 8 as well as all sojourning brothers are hereby notified that they are expected to join in the general parade April 30, 1889. By order of the Lodge.
Attest: J. A. STEPHENS, Recorder.
Portland, April 6, 1889.

P. S. [illegible] A special meeting of the [illegible] will be held at the [illegible] Hall Friday, April 26, at 8 P. M., to consider the participation in the centennial parade. C. HOLBILL, Sec.

GRAND LODGE OF OREGON AND WASHINGTON, ANCIENT ORDER OF UNITED WORKMEN,
OFFICE OF GRAND MASTER WORKMAN,
Hood River, Or., April 24, 1889.
To the Officers and Members of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, Greeting:
Whereas, Application having been made to me by Industry Lodge No. 8, A. O. U. W., praying for a dispensation to issue authorizing said lodge to wear the regalia of the order in public parade in the city of Portland, Oregon, on the 30th day of April [illegible], and whereas the celebration on said date is of a [illegible] worthy and patriotic character.
Now, therefore, by virtue of authority in me vested, said Industry Lodge No. 8, of A. O. U. W., [illegible] other lodges of said fraternity so desiring, are hereby authorized to participate in said celebration and wear the regalia in public parade.
Done at Hood River, Oregon, this 24th day of April, A. D. 1889. [illegible] SMITH,
Grand Master Workman, A. O. U. W., Or. and Wash.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F. Regular meeting of Hassalo Lodge No. 15 this Friday evening at [illegible]. The anniversary exercises will be gone through with, and a pleasant time is anticipated. The brethren of the other lodges of the [illegible] and sojourning brothers in good standing are cordially invited to be present. By order [illegible]
WILLIAM SHIPLEY, Sec.

DIED

[illegible]

FUNERAL NOTICE

The members of [illegible] are requested to meet at their hall Saturday, April [illegible] P. M., to attend the funeral of [illegible]
WILLIAM [illegible]

[illegible] Telephone 207.

Schwab Bros. Printing & Litho. Co., Washington street. Lowest Prices.

NEW TO-DAY.

LOTS IN HIGHLAND AND [illegible] [illegible]

H. H. HILDEBRAND,
Prescription Druggist, 3d and Morrison. Telephone 499. Orders by mail receive prompt attention.

TO EXCHANGE FOR CITY PROPERTY [illegible] East [illegible] Washington st.

WOOD OF ALL KINDS AT THE [illegible] Wood Yard, [illegible] Morrison. Telephone 189. [illegible]

S. HARRIS & CO'S
Trunks & Satchels. 49 First street.

ICE CREAM FESTIVAL.
[illegible] this (Friday) evening. All are [illegible]. Admission 10 [illegible]

FOR SALE.
[illegible] business [illegible] CAMPBELL & BRUST. [illegible]

FOR SALE.
Several lots [illegible] in Carruthers' addition, South Portland [illegible] IDLEMAN & SILVERS, Real Estate. [illegible]

$175 PIANO $175.
[illegible]

NEWSPAPER.
For sale [illegible]

STOVES AND RANGES
[illegible]
CHOWN & CURTIS.

J[illegible]
WHITE FULL CREAM CHEESE
[illegible]

PICNIC.
On Saturday, April 27th, the [illegible] of [illegible] will give a picnic [illegible] children [illegible]

P. & C. S. S. CO.
[illegible] Portland [illegible]

Corner lot, 50x100 feet on north-west corner Seventh and College sts., for $3500, one-half cash, balance on easy terms. THE PORTLAND REAL ESTATE CO., 41 Washington st.

GRAND OPENING.

We will state, without any fear of contradiction, that our importations in Spring Dress Materials will excel anything ever shown here. For style, beauty of texture, finish and new colors the stock can not be equaled by any house north of San Francisco.

SPECIAL.

We have imported specially for the spring trade a magnificent line of Wash Materials in Scotch Zephyrs, French Ginghams, Challies and Batistes. We most respectfully solicit an inspection of our immense stock. Ladies "just looking" will receive equal attention to those wishing to purchase at the moment.

McALLEN & McDONNELL
161 & 163 Third St., Cor. Morrison.

NEW TO-DAY.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Below Are Advertised Several A1 Bargains in Real Estate by

—EUGENE D. WHITE,—

Real Estate Dealer, N. W. Cor. First and Alder Sts. Upstairs.

It may be well to explain to the public here that [illegible] not advertised.

321
Acres [illegible] miles from [illegible] in Washington [illegible] acres in cultivation [illegible] mountain [illegible] soil, black loam, very rich. Price per acre $3[illegible]

73
Acres [illegible] on [illegible] road [illegible] acres in cultivation, balance slashed. Per acre $60.

44
Acres [illegible] miles [illegible] of Portland and [illegible] from Beaverton [illegible] Per acre $60.

100
Acres [illegible] 11 acres in cultivation, 45 acres in good [illegible]. Per acre $40.

330
Acres [illegible] of Portland [illegible] 40 acres [illegible] good [illegible] Per acre $12.50.

260
Acres [illegible] good [illegible] Per acre $5.

94
Acres [illegible] Per acre $100.

82
Acres [illegible] Per acre $100.

30
Acres [illegible]

60
[illegible]

[illegible]

ADDITION TO EAST PORTLAND.

$100 [illegible] 50x100 [illegible] installments of $20 [illegible]
This price [illegible] acre [illegible]
This is good until May 1 [illegible]. After that the price will be $[illegible] For maps and all information apply to
J. C. McAULEY,
[illegible] N. E. cor. First and Alder sts.

FOR SALE.

Two very fine blocks with house and tastefully laid out grounds, within one block of motor line; would make magnificent residence, or for investment not to be excelled on the East side.

WADDEL, McCULLEY & CO.,
[illegible] Morrison St.

Portland Business College,
SECOND & YAMHILL STS. A. P. ARMSTRONG, PRIN.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS—
[illegible] T. H. Crawford, Wm. [illegible] Walter F. Burrell.
THOROUGH, COMPLETE, PRACTICAL.
Business. Shorthand.
TYPEWRITING, PENMANSHIP & ENGLISH DEPARTMENTS.
[illegible]

WITHOUT QUESTION

The best suburban property around the city are lots in "City View Addition." This property lies high [illegible] Over 175 lots have been sold in this addition during the past 60 days. Price $[illegible] per lot, $10 down, and $10 per month with no interest.
HIGGINS & HOLBROOK,
48 Stark Street.

FOR SALE.

Lots at the finest seaside Resort on the Pacific Coast at Long Beach, W. T., and can be obtained at very low prices and on easy installments if bought now of
EUGENE D. WHITE,
Real Estate Dealer,
Portland, Oregon.

FOR SALE.

$1500—[illegible] Portland on Sixth st. [illegible]
3000—[illegible] Hawthorne [illegible] Beacon Heights lots [illegible]
[illegible] Washington st. [illegible]

AUBURN!

100 feet fronting on First st., near Hall, for $10,000, one-half cash, balance on or before five years at 8 per cent and tax. THE PORTLAND REAL ESTATE CO., 41 Washington street.

INVESTIGATE.

$3100—[illegible] on Base Line road.
2100 [illegible]
1800—[illegible]
HIGGINS & HOLBROOK, 48 Stark st.

FARM FOR SALE

194 acres at $45 per acre, adjoining Barlow's farm, [illegible] miles south from Portland, nearly all under cultivation and fenced, plenty of water, good land. This is a good investment.
BUSH & HAHN, 105 First street.

FAREWELL SALE.

CHAS. Wm. the wig maker, is going out of business in a few weeks. Call early. 83 Yamhill st.

NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE. A MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS [illegible] Fair will be held at the [illegible] Tuesday evening, May 7, 1889, at 8 [illegible] By order [illegible] D[illegible] April 6, 1889. [illegible] WEIDLER, [illegible]

$6000 HALF CASH. A FINE CORNER [illegible] [illegible]

FOR SALE.

[illegible]

IMPORTANT.

[illegible]

STEAMER IDAHO

[illegible]

W[illegible] [illegible]

A FARM OF 160 ACRES FOR SALE [illegible]

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF DISTRICT No. [illegible] will meet [illegible] May 2, 1889, at 7:30 P. M. [illegible] 1889. All [illegible] the board. By order of the board. MRS. P. J. GARDNER, Clerk.

A PERFECT PARLOR. THE MISSES [illegible] that have at a considerable expense [illegible] renovated their premises at 161 [illegible] the ladies of Portland can get their hair [illegible] in the Northwest [illegible] the most experienced artists [illegible] Pacific [illegible]

PORTLAND HEIGHTS. GOOD BARGAINS [illegible] $6000 [illegible] good until May 1. Have [illegible] property on the Heights for resale [illegible] Call at [illegible] Washington [illegible] M. ELKINS.

SARATOGA BUY BEFORE prices advance. Lots $200 and $250 on easy installments. Now [illegible] EMPIRE LAND CO., 74 Morrison.

BARGAIN FURNITURE AND LEASE OF a 50-room boarding house, East Side, close by [illegible] rent [illegible] IDLEMAN & SILVERS [illegible] REAL ESTATE [illegible]

FOR SALE HOUSE [illegible] 2-story house [illegible] Price $[illegible] Terms $1700 [illegible] Apply [illegible] ANDREWS & [illegible]

$120 WEST PORTLAND LOTS $10 down, $10 per month [illegible] WEST PORTLAND [illegible] ASSOCIATION [illegible]

C[illegible] past, present [illegible]

W[illegible] [illegible] consulted Dr. [illegible] the First National Bank [illegible]

W[illegible] [illegible] HAMILTON [illegible] Beaverton, Or. [illegible]

FOR SALE.

100x 40 with [illegible] modern house [illegible] good stable [illegible] R. B. CURRY [illegible]

LOST—A LADY'S POCKET BOOK CONTAINING [illegible] small change [illegible] ring. The finder will be liberally rewarded by [illegible]

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE, board and room in strictly private family [illegible] Catholic preferred [illegible] terms moderate. Address [illegible] care Oregonian.

COTTAGE WANTED—MODERN 5 OR 6 ROOM cottage for term of years, must be [illegible] and north [illegible] Address with particulars [illegible] O box 864 city.

RIVERSIDE & RAILROAD PROPERTY For sale at $7000 to $25,000. Land with valuable shipping facilities by rail or river. For [illegible] terms and prices apply to [illegible] ANDREWS & CO., 35 First st.

WANTED—A MAN AND WIFE ON FARM IN [illegible] country; $40 per month [illegible] good salary or single man. Apply to WITHERELL & SCULLACE [illegible] First.

TWO GOOD HOUSES IN ONE OF the best [illegible] can be bought for $10,000 [illegible] Apply [illegible] ANDREWS & [illegible]

CONFIRMATION [illegible] MILLER [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. H. Miller [illegible] Saturday, April [illegible] All friends are invited to attend [illegible] Sixth street [illegible]

FOR SALE—PORTLAND HEIGHTS [illegible] cistern [illegible] all completed [illegible]

MAPLE SYRUP.
Just received a new lot of the [illegible]

CORRUGATED IRON [illegible] BAYER [illegible]

$62 WILL BUY A LOT [illegible] Inaddition, East Portland, $10 [illegible]

PLEASANT ROOM AND BOARD [illegible] week. 114 [illegible]

NEW TO-DAY.

MONEY TO LOAN ON LONG TIME, in small sums, on country and city property [illegible] interest [illegible] MILLER, Abington building, 106 Third st.

WANTED BY 1st OF JUNE OR JULY BY A reliable [illegible] about 7 room house [illegible] references [illegible]

$3600 [illegible] ACRES [illegible] GOOD HOUSE, barn [illegible] 10 acres fenced [illegible] A. BATMANSON [illegible] Washington and First st.

$150 WILL BUY A LOT IN THE [illegible] down [illegible] monthly installments.

L[illegible] for cash [illegible] HILDEY & BABCOCK [illegible] rooms 14 and 15.

LADIES [illegible] leave [illegible] Second st.

WANTED—AN INTELLIGENT LADY OF [illegible]

A FINE SIGHTLY QUARTER BLOCK IN [illegible] very low [illegible] PARK & SON, 18 [illegible]

H[illegible] FOR SALE—[illegible]

H[illegible] COLUMBIA HEIGHTS [illegible]

$2,200 [illegible]

$1500 [illegible]

UNEQUALED [illegible] for 50c per [illegible] Washington.

[illegible] ROOM, [illegible] First st.

ELEGANT SIGNS [illegible] painted [illegible]

WANTED—[illegible] WOMAN A [illegible]

G[illegible] YOUNG [illegible] $1000 [illegible]

FINEST SHAVE ON THE COAST AT [illegible]

FOR SALE—SOME CHOICE LOTS AND BLOCKS at [illegible] Washington [illegible] Morrison.

A GENTLEMAN OF MEANS WISHES TO CORRESPOND with a lady between 40 and 60. Address [illegible] Box 427 [illegible]

160 ACRES TIMBER LAND [illegible] ACRE [illegible] Clatsop county, Or. A. BATMANSON [illegible] Washington and Front sts.

WELL! I AM GOING TO THE NEW YORK [illegible] you can go [illegible]

BUY A COOK STOVE FOR $10 AT O'REILLY'S [illegible] First, bet. Morrison and Alder.

MONEY TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and chattels of all description, without removal. [illegible] S. B. COBB, 84 Second st.

CITY SALESMAN WANTED—ONE WHO THOROUGHLY understands the grocery business. Address [illegible] care Oregonian.

FOR SALE—A FEW MORE LOTS [illegible] at the old prices. [illegible]

REMOVED LUDWIG LEVY, THE WELL known jeweler, has removed from [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] BEFORE MAY 10, [illegible] references [illegible] Address [illegible]

WA[illegible] References exchanged. [illegible]

A QUIET GENTLEMAN WANTS A [illegible] with board and bath. $25 [illegible] care Oregonian.

THEY DO [illegible] FIRST [illegible]

O DON'T! [illegible] where I can get the [illegible]

TELL ALL THE COUNTRYMEN THAT [illegible] a first-class [illegible]

FOR SALE—A HORSE, WAGON AND HARNESS [illegible] JOHNSON [illegible]

H[illegible] [illegible] Room 1, [illegible]

L[illegible] [illegible] and [illegible]

SALE OF CONFIRMATION DRESSES TODAY [illegible] at the LACE HOUSE, cor. Third and Washington.

SPECIAL PRICES FOR A FEW LATE ON LOTS [illegible] Heights [illegible]

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING [illegible] furniture for sale cheap. Inquire No. 12 North Sixth st.

50 MORRISON THE BEST BOOTS AND shoes in the city. Look at the stock there.

COMPETENT GIRL WANTED TO COOK AND do general housework [illegible] family. Apply [illegible] Sixth [illegible]

RETURN TICKETS TO NEW YORK WANTED [illegible] Apply stating lowest price. P. O. box 860 [illegible]

WANTED—BY A YOUNG LADY, POSITION as clerk in store. Address SALE LADY, care Oregonian.

YOUNG LADY WHO WRITES PLAIN HAND wishes writing to do. Address B. E. B., care Oregonian.

FOR SALE—ON ACCOUNT OF SICKNESS A [illegible] partnership, good bargain. Inquire at 34 Washington st.

WANTED—BY AN EXPERIENCED BOOK-keeper [illegible] Address [illegible] Oregonian.

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork [illegible] Apply at 159 [illegible] st.

WANTED—BY AN ELDERLY COUPLE AT 391 Sixth st., a young woman for general housework.

FOR RENT—HANDSOME [illegible] ROOM [illegible] 19 [illegible] st.

FOR RENT—[illegible] FURNISHED [illegible]

A[illegible] SETTLEMENT BY [illegible]

WANTED—A [illegible] GENERAL HOUSE[illegible]

FOR RENT—[illegible] FURNISHED FRONT [illegible] 5 Salmon st.

WANTED—A [illegible] GENERAL DRAUGHTS[illegible]

GREAT BARGAINS IN [illegible] CORNS AT [illegible] Washington [illegible]

F[illegible]

W[illegible] FOR [illegible] WORK IN [illegible]

23.

TO-DAY and during the balance of this week, we will sell our best quality

45-INCH

TABLE OILCLOTH

At 23 CENTS A YARD.

SHELF OILCLOTH

At 7 CENTS A YARD.

Hundreds of New and Desirable Designs.

SEE CORNER WINDOW TO-DAY.

I. Lipman & Co.

AGENTS FOR BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.

PORTLAND AND VICINIT

[illegible] Colonel Fran[illegible] discovered a few days [illegible] and William [illegible] Melton Lowe [illegible] and were [illegible] which [illegible] Colonel [illegible] memorable session, twenty [illegible] Kittens [illegible] Parker [illegible] stood at the [illegible] San Diego to [illegible] were waiting through [illegible] slaughtering Indians [illegible] all the money we want [illegible]

[illegible] AND POETRY.—The [illegible] was being cu[illegible] admir[illegible] the mower turned [illegible] of poetry collected [illegible] flowing [illegible] the fragrance of the [illegible] kind of we[illegible] poetry and [illegible] of anyone and make an [illegible] imagines the joints [illegible] in a frame of mind [illegible] to fall down and worsh[illegible]

[illegible] The teachers of [illegible] McMinnville [illegible] Tillamook county [illegible] Johnson [illegible] county superin[illegible] Morrison [illegible] academy [illegible] Multnomah Normal school [illegible] Arnold of the State Agricul[illegible]

SERIOUS STABBING.—Mr. W. W. Edge who [illegible] states that a se[illegible] stabbing row took place there on that day [illegible] drinking together [illegible] could dance best [illegible] fought [illegible] other in several places, inflicting [illegible] was [illegible] would prove fatal. It is an old sa[illegible] that he laughs best who laughs last, and thi[illegible] plies with equal force to dancing. Should [illegible] die, the other will prove [illegible] as he will not only dance [illegible] but will probably dance on nothing.

SATISFACTORILY ARRANGED.—Everything [illegible] with the rescue and towing [illegible] the steam schooner George H. Chance of [illegible] Yaquina Deep Sea Fishing Company has [illegible] arranged. Dr. Chance [illegible] many obligations to Messrs. W[illegible] Wallis Nash for friendly service [illegible] The machinery for the schooner [illegible] be brought up from San Francisco by the st[illegible] Oregon Development Company and [illegible] Oregon Pacific Company's [illegible] The delay caused by the accide[illegible] unfortunate, as there has been a [illegible] scarcity of fish in this market.

THE STEAMER IDAHO.—A dispatch was recei[illegible] here last evening from Mr. D. Campbell, gen[illegible] freight agent of the O. R. & N. [illegible] steamer Idaho would [illegible] from [illegible] on Thursday, May 2, for [illegible] Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver and [illegible] Westminster. Freight taken by her for [illegible] will be transferred to one of the company's boats on the Sound. The Idaho [illegible] her first trip, as she was [illegible] back [illegible] soon. If she keeps it up [illegible] between this city and the Sound [illegible] Columbia.

[illegible] PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH [illegible] Dr. [illegible] subscriptions [illegible] Fourth Presbyterian church on First and [illegible] up to last night they had raised [illegible] more to be collected. This money [illegible] purchase a quarter of [illegible] mentioned. A year ago last Christmas Mr. W[illegible] presented the church a piece [illegible] which will be sold for about $[illegible] the money will be spent in building [illegible]

THE SEA [illegible] Miss Nellie Jennes[illegible] [illegible] were severa[illegible] the list of [illegible] Miss Jenness can rely [illegible] course given by Miss Jenn[illegible] Masonic hall at [illegible] P. M.

THEY ARE BEING [illegible] OFFICE OF PORTLAND.—The Portland Mer[illegible] Agency, which is managed and owned by M[illegible] E. [illegible] & William Hahn, 19 First street [illegible] residents of this [illegible] on [illegible] Washington territory [illegible] the agency [illegible] collecting business [illegible] their hands will receive careful and [illegible]

THE [illegible] DRAMATIC [illegible] Medford [illegible] on route to Por[illegible] week's engagement [illegible] company appeared last [illegible] at Eugene City [illegible] Salem [illegible] Sunday [illegible] to open next Monday evening.

[illegible] NIGHT.—The Re[illegible] Army [illegible] tonight [illegible] Miss Plodgett [illegible] the audience with a re[illegible] supper will be [illegible]

[illegible] COMPANY.—[illegible] this morning [illegible] H. H. Getchell [illegible] at Ast[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] SION YET.—[illegible]

[illegible] WHARF [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] COMPANY.—The Columbia [illegible] Company has [illegible] will soon be [illegible] works [illegible] down [illegible] wharf.

[illegible] FOR ARCHBISHOP GROSS. To [illegible] of the Cathedral parish [illegible] Archbishop [illegible] of America [illegible]

[illegible] PRICE [illegible] court [illegible] miles so [illegible] He had [illegible]

OREGON EVANGELISTS. The sixth an[illegible] conference of the E[illegible] which will convene at Corvallis May [illegible] Fair of Chicago will preside.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY special hat sale [illegible] and boys at Kohn's, corner Second and M[illegible]

PORTLAND AND VICINITY.

BOTH FAME AND MONEY.—Colonel Frank J. Parker accidentally discovered a few days since, that Governor Shoup, of Idaho, and William King, proprietor of the celebrated "Molten Lode," Cœur d'Alene, are old comrades of his, and were with him at the dreadful battle of Indians in Colorado, twenty-five years ago, which has gone down to history as Shippington's massacre. Colonel Parker says on that memorable occasion twenty-four cords of Indians, Kiowas, Comanches, Arrapahoes, Kickapoos, etc., were slaughtered before breakfast. Colonel Parker had stood at the helm of a government prairie schooner and navigated a mule team from San Diego to Colorado to get at these bloodthirsty Indians. "And just to think of it," said the Colonel, "the three of us who, on that December morning were wading through snow up to our armpits, and slaughtering Indians, have now all the fame and all the money we want."

MOWING HAY, AND POETRY.—The luxuriant grass on the south plaza block was being cut yesterday and many persons stopped to admire the grace and ease with which the mower turned up a swath, or to watch him as he whet his ringing scythe. There is lots of poetry connected with looking at a man mowing. One thinks of Maud Muller as he smells the fragrance of the new-mown hay, and longs to try his hand at the job as he watches the graceful swing of the mower, and sees the keen blade shave the turf of its verdant crop. Just an hour or so at that kind of work is apt to knock a whole bucketful of poetry and two buckets of sweat out of any one, and make a man's back ache until he imagines the joints need oiling, and put him in a frame of mind which makes him ready to fall down and worship a mowing machine.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.—The teachers of the third judicial district and Yamhill county will hold an institute at McMinnville May 1, 2 and 3. The executive committee consists of the following county superintendents: Lee H. Baker, Yamhill county; I. M. Curl, Linn county; W. I. Reynolds, Polk county; D. W. Yoder, Marion county; J. T. Maddox, Tillamook county. A good programme has been arranged. Addresses and lectures will be delivered by T. G. Brownson, president of McMinnville college; County Superintendent Curl, of Linn county; E. Morrison, president of the Friends Pacific academy; D. T. Stanley, president of Multnomah Normal school; and President B. L. Arnold, of the State Agricultural college.

SERIOUS STABBING.—Mr. W. W. Page who was at Kalama on Wednesday states that a serious stabbing row took place there on that day. Two men whose names he did not learn had been drinking together and finally got into a dispute as to who could dance best, when one of them went off and bought a knife and returning, cut the other in several places, inflicting injures which it was feared would prove fatal. It is an old saying that he laughs best who laughs last, and this applies with equal force to dancing. Should the wounded man die, the other will prove himself the dancer, as he will not only dance last, but will probably dance on nothing.

SATISFACTORILY ARRANGED.—Everything connected with the rescue and towing into port of the steam schooner George H. Chance, of the Yaquina Deep Sea Fishing Company, has been satisfactorily arranged. Dr. Chance says the company are under many obligations to Messrs. William Hoag and Wallis Nash for friendly services in the matter. The machinery for the schooner will be brought up from San Francisco by the steamer of the Oregon Development Company and will be put in at the Oregon Pacific Company's shops at Yaquina. The delay caused by the accident to the vessel is unfortunate, as there has been a great scarcity of fish in this market.

THE STEAMER IDAHO.—A dispatch was received here last evening from Mr. B. Campbell, general freight agent of the O. R. & N. Co., who is at Seattle, stating that the steamer Idaho would sail from this port on Thursday, May 2, for Port Angeles, Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver, and New Westminster. Freight taken by her for Sound ports, will be transferred to one of the company's boats on the Sound. The Idaho is making good time on her first trip, as she was not expected back here so soon. If she keeps it up she will form a valuable addition to the transportation facilities between this city and the Sound and British Columbia.

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—County Treasurer Hackeney, P. F. Morey and Dr. Plummer are soliciting subscriptions to build the new Fourth Presbyterian church on First and Gibbs streets. Up to last night they had raised $2800, $2200 more to be collected. This money will be used to purchase a quarter of a block on the streets mentioned. A year ago last Chrisimas Mr. W. S. Ladd presented the church a piece of land 50x200 which will be sold for about $8500 and the money will be spent in building the church.

PHYSICAL CULTURE.—Miss Mabel Jenness organized a class of sixty ladies yesterday, in physical culture, and as there were several whose names appear on the list of signers last week, and who were unable to appear, but will be in the class to-day, Miss Jenness can rely on at least seventy-five scholars here. This will positively be the only course given by Miss Jenness in Portland, as she leaves for Denver immediately after giving the six lessons, so all that desire must report to-day at Masonic hall, at 3 P. M., sharp.

THEY ARE DOING A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS ALSO OUTSIDE OF PORTLAND.—The Portland Mercantile Agency, which is managed and owned by Messrs. E. R. Bush & William Hahn, 193 First street, long and well known residents of this city, are not only doing a large business here in Portland, but also in Washington territory, Idaho and California. The agency here is doing a general collecting business, and any accounts placed into their hands will receive careful and prompt attention.

THE NEW DRAMATIC SEASON.—Mr. Joseph R. Grismer, Miss Phœbe Davis and the company passed Medford yesterday en route to Portland, where a week's engagement will be played at New Park theater. The company appeared last night at Eugene City; they appear at Albany this evening and at Salem to-morrow evening. The company will arrive here Sunday morning, and the new season is to open next Monday evening.

A CRAZY TEA TO-NIGHT.—The Relief Corps of George Wright post, G. A. R., will give a "crazy tea" at Grand Army hall to-night. Miss May Cook, Miss Eva Davenport and Mr. John Gwilt are down on the programme for musical selections, and Miss Blodgett, the well-known elocutionist, will favor the audience with a recitation. After the entertainment supper will be served after which there will be dancing.

NEW CANNING COMPANY.—S. A. Miller goes to Portland this morning, where he will meet C. R. Watson and D. H. Getchell, the three organizing the Ashland Packing Company, with a capital of $20,000. They have a location near Ashland, a subsidy of $2000, water free for one year, and will can fruit. Ashland is a splendid fruit country, and the new corporation shows judgment in the selection of their site.—*Tidings.*

EXCURSION.—The ladies of Taylor street M. E. church will give an excursion to the Cascades, Saturday, April 27, 1889. The elegant steamer Olympian has been chartered, and, with beautiful scenery, music and games all may have a pleasant time. Will leave the foot of Taylor street at 8 A. M., rain or shine. Ice cream, coffee, sandwiches served on the boat. Round trip tickets $1, children 50 cents.

NO DECISION YET.—County Judge Catlin and County Commissioners Dunn and Smith have not yet arrived at a decision in the application of the citizens of East Portland for a reduction of the maximum rates of toll on the Morrison-street bridge and Stark street ferry. They have under consideration a mass of facts and figures, and it is expected that they will decide in a day or two.

COLD STORAGE WHARF.—Mr. Joseph Smith, who has the contract for driving the piling for the cold storage warehouse on Front street near the Albina ferry, has completed one portion 65x90 feet and is now putting on the floor. A part of the other division [illegible] is completed and he is now waiting for the arrival of piles with which to complete the job.

THE PROSPECT GOOD.—The prospects are unusually favorable for a magnificent crop of strawberries. All, however, depends upon the weather. If we have warm, bright weather the first Oregon strawberries will be in market in from ten to fifteen days, but should cold rains come it will be longer till strawberries will be plentiful.

MONTHLY SOCIALS.—The first of a series of monthly socials for young people will be held this evening at the First Congregational church. All young men and women in the city and especially those who are strangers are cordially invited to come and enjoy a pleasant and entertaining hour. A good literary programme is prepared.

WHAT IS IT FOR.—On Second street, between Washington and Stark, is a hitching post with a ring at the top. The post is neatly but not gaudily painted a sickly yellow and on two sides is painted in plain black letters, "hitch no horses." Just what the post is for is a conundrum, but probably it is to hitch mules to.

SOON BE COMPLETED.—The Columbia River Lumber and Fuel Company have the boilers for their new mills in position, and the job of bricking them in will soon be completed. They expect to have a saw running in about two weeks, and will first cut lumber for a flume, and down this will send lumber to build a wharf.

A PURSE FOR ARCHBISHOP GROSS.—To-night the congregation of the Cathedral parish will present a purse to Archbishop Gross, who will depart for Rome in a few days. The presentation will take place in the basement of the cathedral on Stark street, and the address will be made by Mr. Charles J. F. Malarkey.

DR. HOUGHTON'S LECTURE.—At Grace church this evening at 7:45 Dr. Ross C. Houghton will give his regular monthly lecture. The exercises will open with a short musical programme. The lecture will be the first of a series on "The Historical Writers of America." Lecture free. All are welcome.

JUDGE SHATTUCK'S PLACE SOLD.—Judge E. D. Shattuck of the state circuit court, has sold his place between four and five miles southwest of the city, to Frank Wenderoth. He had 240 acres, which brought $48,000, or $200 an acre.

OREGON EVANGELISTS.—The sixth annual session of the Oregon conference of the Evangelical church will convene at Corvallis May 2. Bishop J. J. Esher, of Chicago, will preside.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, special hat sale for men and boys at Kohn's, corner Second and Morrison.

THE COOS BAY JETTY.—Mr. P. O'Neil, who has a contract for building a jetty for the improvement of Coos bay, has gone down there to commence operations. The beginning of the work has been delayed somewhat on account of a difficulty experienced in finding a good stone quarry. Captain W. Young, of the U. S. engineers, found a quarry of first-class stone conveniently located on the claims of James Kupe and Charles Higgins, and has been authorized to purchase them. Mr. O'Neil has chartered the steamer Volga at Astoria to do his towing, and his scows are being built at Coos bay, and are about completed.

CONTRACT AWARDED.—The county commissioners' court have awarded the contract for the iron work of the new south wing of the court house to Wolff & Zwickson of this city. Their bid was $5495, which was not the lowest however, the bid of the Western Iron Works of San Francisco being $1628 less.

ROOFING THE HOTEL.—J. C. Bayer, who has the contract to put the slate roof on the new hotel, also to do the copper work, began work on the Yamhill side of the big building yesterday. He has twenty-five men employed. The contract calls for the completion of the work within sixty days.

DANGEROUS IF TRUE.—It is said that persons engaged in excavating on Fifteenth and Market streets are greatly endangering the lives of persons passing, by the careless use of blasting powder. If the report be true, the parties engaged in the blasting are liable to arrest.

ONIONS COMING IN.—Several loads of onions were brought in from Washington county yesterday. They were sold for $1 75 per sack, but this is not a very remunerative price when it is known that out of three sacks only one can be selected which are fit for market.

TO-DAY AND SATURDAY the Opera Millinery Store, 67 Morrison street, will close out all their black straws and a line of children's sailors at tremendously reduced prices, for these days only. They have also received an elegant line of new shapes and trimmings.

SAVE YOUR DOLLAR.—People who wish to attend J. Selling & Co's. stereopticon entertainment and fail to provide themselves with a ticket will be charged $1 00 at the door. Proceeds to go to Orphans Home. Tickets free until Monday 6 P. M. at J. Selling & Co's.

A NON PARTISAN TICKET.—A number of politicians are talking over the advisability of nominating a non partisan ticket for councilmen at the coming June election. They are thinking also of nominating a candidate for police commissioner.

KID GLOVES.—J. Selling & Co. will offer Saturday their celebrated Alma 5-button kid gloves at 50 cents per pair. All ladies purchasing them before will recommend them to their neighbors and call for them at Selling's on Saturday.

CHARGES IGNORED.—The grand jury has returned not true bills in the cases of John Kelly, charged with assaulting William Licht, and Jong Jaw, accused of stealing $110 from King Tai.

THE BUILDING COMMITTEE for the hospital annex to the Children's Home will meet at Mrs. Goldsmith's, corner of Eighth and Taylor, at 10:30 A. M. to-day.

THE ENGAGEMENT of Miss Clara Simon and Leopold Katten is announced. At home Saturday, Sunday and Wednesday, at 255 Morrison street.

TAKE THE LADIES and the little ones to see the giant horse on Third street near Yamhill.

PLEATED WHITE SHIRTS, fine quality, $1 each, at Kohn's, corner Second and Morrison.

CHILDREN'S SUITS, fine lot for boys, ages 4 to 13 years; prices $3 to $5, at corner Second and Morrison.

FINE UNDERWEAR, $1 50 a suit, at Kohn's, corner Second and Morrison.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Bright, Sunshiny Weather Brings Out the Buyers and Revives Business.

The fine weather yesterday brought out the real estate buyers and the dealings were larger than for any day this month. There were filed sixteen deeds, aggregating $136,426 an average of $8526, making the total number of deeds filed so far this month, 439; value of the transactions, $1,180,640 09.

Since January 1 to date there have been filed 2111 deeds, aggregating $4,887,8[illegible] 97.

DEEDS RECORDED APRIL 25.

L. D. Brown and wife to Isabella M. Slaughter et al., lots 7, 8, 9, 32, 33 and 30, block 17, and lots 25, 26, 37, 38, 39 and 40, block 8, Willamette add., April 24; $1200.

V. Kratz and wife to R. D. Cooper, 19 87-100 acres, sec. 35, 1 N, 1 E, April 19; $7200.

J. C. Moreland et al to V. Kratz, trustee, 19 87-100 acres, sec. 35, 1 N, 1 E, April 22; $49,000.

W. G. Register and wife to Rose E. Glover, lots 3 and 4, block 1, Albina, April 10; $2000.

Penumbra Kelly, sheriff, to A. Ferera, lots 8, 9, 10 and 11, blk 11, Fox's add. to Albina, April 23; $160 50.

Lewis Metzger and wife to Aurelia L. Haskel, 78 acres, secs. 9 and 10, 1 S, 3 E, April 25; $1050.

E. D. Shattuck and wife to Frank Wenderoth, 240 acres, sec. 18, 1 S, 1 E, April 22; $48,000.

J. S. Goldsmith to John Fees, lot 1, blk 17, Smith's add., East Portland, April 25; $175.

Jas. Sarman to Mary E. Kephart, lot 11 blk 7, Cloverdale extension, April 25; $270.

M. J. Nolan to Chas. Nolan, undivided ½ interest in lot 4, blk 7, P. Irving's add., April 15; $1.

M. J. Nolan to Kattie Nolan et al., lot 5, blk 7, E. Irving's add., April 15; $1.

John H. Hall et al to Jos. Burkhart et al., 50x100 feet of blk 81, East Portland, April 20; $3000.

N. McCoy and wife to C. W. Peck, E ½ of W ½ lots 7 and 8, blk 102, East Portland, April 22; $3120.

Aaron Meier and wife to Charles Blakely, parts of blk 26 in B. C. Carter's add., April 24; $15.

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Isaac Meyer to A. Cookingham et al., 5 acres, DeLashmutt & Oatman's Little Homes, April 25; $500.

BOND FOR DEED.

John Foster to Robert Bell, 15 60-100 acres, secs 5 and 8, 1 N, 1 E, also 5.0 acres, secs 1 and 5, 1 N, 1 E, September 7, 1888; $15,000.

CLACKAMAS COUNTY TRANSFERS, APRIL 25.

(Reported at noon by Willamette Falls Real Estate office, Second and Morrison streets, Portland.)

James Athey and wife to Sarah A. Campbell, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, blk 66 Oregon City $2000.

Thomas F. Smith and wife and E. F. Smith to Olive Confer, lots 1 and 2 Sec 33, Tp 2 S, R 2 E, also N E ¼, S W ¼, and lots 3 and 4, Sec 32, Tp 2 S, R 2 E, also in S W ¼ of N E ¼ of Sec 34 T 2 S, R 2 E, $2000.

O. A. [illegible] E. B. to Hugh M. Pugh N E ¼ of S W ¼ Sec 11, Tp 3 S, R 2 E $120.

Ellen Blanchard to J. W. Draper, lot 7, blk "A," also lot 2, blk "A," in Canemah $1.

John Stipp to Hezekiah Stipp five acres in D. L. C. of William Russell and wife Sec 29, Tp 4 S, R 2 E, $75.

Elmer E. Charman and wife and Mary M. Charman to John A. Confer, blk 26, Clackamas Heights, $100.

John L. Barnhardt and Annie Barnhardt to Abraham Hager, [illegible] acres in D. L. C. of George Crow and wife, Sec 1 and 2, Tp 2 S, R 1 E, $1653 75.

Total $5621 75.

REAL ESTATE AGENTS.

We are engraving a new map of Portland, with special reference to additions. It will cost you nothing to have your addition shown on the map if location is furnished us. The Lewis and Dryden Printing Company, map engravers, Oregonian building.

EASTER SERVICES—ST. PAUL M. E. CHURCH.

The Easter services at St. Paul's church, this city, Sunday, were very interesting and successful. The church at an early hour in the morning was filled with eager worshipers. Pastor Cline preached a brief sermon on the "Resurrection of Jesus," which was followed by appropriate recitations and songs from members of the Sunday school, the whole concluding with a collection for missions. This church is fast coming to the front in good works. Forty dollars were paid last year for missions. They now have in sight for this year $160 and will easily go beyond that. The following is a list of Sunday school scholars who did noble work in collecting missionary money: Mary Johnson, Edna Hamm, Fannie May Cline, Nellie Wood, Edna Johnson, Eddie Haitt, Eva Haitt, Nellie Byers, Grace T. Cline, Ira Byers, Ray Byers, Irene Shelton, Lucena Johnson.

BRIEF MENTION.

All the musical talent of the city are ready to declare that the Matchless Decker Brothers' piano is the leading piano manufactured. The Kohler & Chase Music House, 71 Morrison, are the sole agents in the Northwest for this magnificent instrument.

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U. S. SIGNAL SERVICE WEATHER REPORT.

PORTLAND, Or., April 25, 1889.

Place of Observation.	Hight of Bar.	Ch'ge last 12 hours	Tem.	Wind direction.	Rain fall inch	State of Weather.
Portland	30.04	—32	70	N W	.00	Cloudles
Olympia	30.23	—14	6[illegible]	N E	.00	Cloudy
Roseburg	30.08	—18	72	N W	.00	PtlyCldy
Red Bluff	30.02	—10	8[illegible]	S	.00	PtlyCldy
Sacramento	30.04	—04	78	N	.00	Cloudles
Eureka	30.14		56	W	.00	Cloudy
Port Angeles	30.28	—04	54	Calm	.00	PtlyCldy
Spokane	30.24		68	W	.00	Cloudles
Walla Walla	30.22		70	N	.00	Cloudles
Canby	30.20	—16	54	N	.00	Cloudy

Local Report.

Pacific Coast Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Rel. Hum.	Direc of Wind	Veloc of Wind	Rain	Wthr.
5 A. M	30.36	46	92	NW	6	.00	Cldy
5 P. M	30.01	70	42	NW	8	.00	Cldl's

Maximum temperature, 70.0; minimum temperature, 44; hight of river at 5 A. M., 5.3 feet; change in past 24 hours, 01 feet.

	Normal.	Mean.	Excess of deficiency since Jul. 1	Departure from Normal.	Excess or deficiency since Jan. 1, 1889
Temperature	63	58	5	70	295
Precipitation	.11	08	.68	—.17	—13.20

Average precipitation from July 1 to date, 45.65.
Total precipitation from July 1, '88, to date, 27.08.
Deficiency in precipitation from July 1, '88, to date, 18.57.

PASSENGER LISTS.

OVERLAND.

Northern Pacific—Passed Garrison, April 24: A. H. Rokings, Mrs. Murphy, H. W. Gordon, J. Dempsey, Mrs. J. Dempsey, W. R. Chopera, D. Costigan, W. J. Greenberg, R. M. Harlern, H. W. McNeil, C. E. Ellis, A. W. Landsbrown, W. H. Thurston, and seventy-five second-class.

Oregon Short Line—Passed Huntington April 25: J. W. Duval, A. Mason, Mrs. A. Meyers, Mrs. A. R. Burdick, Miss Burdick, A. E. White, Mrs. C. B. Aikins, F. Glenslow, H. Rey, M. Casey, A. McCulloch, E. W. Hanson, E. McCormack, G. W. Bishop, G. Redfield, W. Roberts, R. Sharkey, Mrs. Sharkey, G. R. Robins, Mrs. S. M. Frazier, Hugh Russell, Geo. W. Simons, A. J. Perry, W. L. Colville, and 125 second-class.

Oregon & California—Passed Medford: J. Haynes, R. B. Rapp, J. C. Bayer, C. Frank, E. T. Nelson, W. J. McCollum and wife, J. W. Pinchot, S. McGrath, Mrs. McGrath, J. H. Kirk, Miss Pinchot, Mrs. Pinchot, Mrs. Love, Miss Love, M. J. Hill, P. S. Burns, J. C. McCrea, R. Scott, Mrs. Jas. Canon, A. J. Schad, C. F. Burns, A. C. Colton, M. J. Glenn, Mrs. Jones and son, J. G. Darland, J. McClaymonds, J. W. McClaymonds and wife, Mrs. McClaymonds, Mrs. M. McClaymonds, Mrs. S. R. McClaymonds, Mrs. J. W. McClaymonds, Miss A. Berger, A. Bronston, V. Howard, E. D. Pransford, E. A. Lancaster, T. Steck, S. N. Bratt and wife, W. Dean, Peter Dean, M. Wolf, Mrs. G. Wolf, Mrs. Bernstein, Mrs. Langhorne, W. R. Davis and wife, T. D. Mehlan and wife, B. M. Glenn and wife, Col. Goodman and wife, F. S. Dodge, wife and two children, J. T. Kelly, James Fraser, Mrs. J. C. March, C. W. McClure, wife child, and two nurses, Mrs. Darland, Dr. J. Merrill, and seventy-one second class.

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One or two persons, to and from	$2 00
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Riding and calling, per hour	$1 00
To or from Theaters or Parties, per couple	1 50

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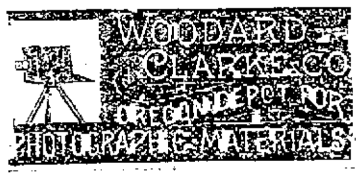
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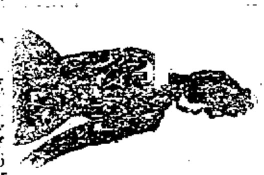

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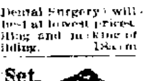

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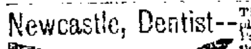

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HARRISON BOSSES THINGS.

The [illegible] Elephant Has Shrunk to Small Dimensions

[illegible] Attached to The Administration—The [illegible] Man Dines on Cold [illegible] on a Back Seat

Washington Special to the N. Y. World

[illegible] of a [illegible] which distinguishes Mr. Harrison's administration from those of his immediate predecessors [illegible] Hayes, Garfield and Arthur were all supplied with this important [illegible] Mr. Cleveland was [illegible] the kitchen cabinet one of the [illegible] institutions in Washington. Mr. [illegible] apparently decided to lop off this branch of the service. There is no one [illegible] the president's official family who [illegible] known or even reputed to have any special [illegible] with Mr. Harrison.

Whether the president will be able to continue his administration in this independent fashion is uncertain. It is [illegible] that [illegible] to create a distinctively Harrison [illegible] which will control the destinies of the republican party for the next eight years [illegible] Altered [illegible] in the party may be [illegible] but the men [illegible] will be informed that they [illegible] their merits alone [illegible] connection with this or [illegible] words they are to [illegible] Mr. Harrison is the head [illegible] that they owe no [illegible] any other man [illegible] has been a follower of Blaine [illegible] if he receives an appointment from this administration he will not be expected to remain loyal to his old friend. He must support Mr. Harrison to the exclusion of all other.

In the opinion of experienced men who have been watching Mr. Harrison's course since March 4. They point to the fact that the majority of the men already appointed to position in the different states are not of the class that sacrifice themselves entirely for their friends. They remain true to one leader as long as he is on top and can serve them, but they do not hesitate to transfer their allegiance to the new star. It is significant that most of the so-called Blaine men who have been favored by Mr. Harrison so far do not belong to the Blaine or nothing class of republicans. The Blaine men who showed a disposition to accept Mr. Blaine's first declination from Florence as final are admittedly much nearer the throne to-day than the Blaine men of the [illegible] type. The California delegation with Mr. Estee at its head insisted upon voting for Blaine at the Chicago convention last June although Mr. Blaine's name had not been formally presented to the convention. Mr. Harrison seems to have remembered this. The Pacific slope was especially anxious to have a representative in the cabinet but Mr. Harrison refused to seriously consider its claim. Mr. Estee has been given a place on Mr. Blaine's South American commission where he will be surrounded by a majority unfriendly to Mr. Blaine. Mr. Menzies of California who has been appointed minister to Central America to succeed Mr. Hall, of New York, a republican whom Mr. Cleveland refused to displace because of his ability, experience and general familiarity with the country, can hardly ever be classed as a Blaine man.

It is said here that Mr. Harrison's policy is to ignore the elder element in his party in building up his new dynasty. One reason is that new and younger men will be quicker to throw off the yokes of their old leaders. They will not be bound to this or that man by the tradition and association of years.

Mr. Harrison believes also that the battles of the future must be conducted mainly by the younger generation, that even in the campaign of 1892 most of the old time leaders will either be dead or beyond the stage of usefulness and for that reason alone it will be better to recognize the younger men.

From all accounts John Sherman appears to be completely immersed in the cold soup of neglect. He is the first member of the old guard to receive the cold shoulder at the White house. Out of the 3/4 nominations sent to the senate by Mr. Harrison not one—with the possible exception of Editor Hal[illegible]—was a friend of the Ohio statesman. And Mr. Sherman did not ask for Mr. [illegible]'s appointment. The best place Ohio has secured thus far is that of second assistant postmaster general. Mr. Whitfield who captured this appointment is a devoted follower of Governor Foraker.

When the administration opened a large delegation of Sherman men from Ohio came here modestly asking for recognition. With one exception they have all gone home convinced that it was useless to stay longer. The exception is ex-Congressman Parsons, of the Buckeye state. He is an aspirant for comptroller of the currency. Mr. Sherman has indorsed him and at one time his selection was regarded as reasonably certain. But there seems to be a hitch somewhere and it will not be surprising if Mr. Sherman's man is overlooked. If he is it will demonstrate that the senior Ohio senator is absolutely without influence with the Harrison administration. But even the appointment of Parsons to the comptrollership will not advance the price of Mr. Sherman's stock with the administration to any great extent. The Sherman men in the South are having a particularly hard time. Not one of them has been recognized in any way and the few southern appointments that have been made do not come from the ranks of Mr. Sherman's friends. This was made apparent in the selection of a marshal for the western district of North Carolina. A man who has been to the last three national conventions in the interest of Sherman was the leading candidate for the place but another man got it.

As is known Mr. Sherman was instrumental in keeping Hon. Russell A. Alger of Michigan out of the cabinet. He served notice on Harrison that if Alger was named for a place in the cabinet he (Sherman) would oppose his confirmation. It would be unprecedented [illegible] a member of a new cabinet to fail of confirmation and would precipitate a crisis at the outset of the administration. As a matter of prudence Mr. Harrison did not appoint Gen. Alger but he has by no means cut the acquaintance of the Michigan millionaire. Mr. Sherman's objection did not go so far as that. Gen. Alger enjoys very friendly relations with the president as is shown by the fact that he and Mrs. Alger dined at the White House Sunday evening.

Mr. Sherman is especially sarcastic in referring to his treatment by Harrison. He does not believe that he is a back number by any means, though no one believes that he will ever [illegible] enter the race for the presidency. That is a bubble he has placed behind him forever. The [illegible] has been discharged [illegible] But he expects to live a good many years yet and he will not be hampered by the [illegible] of the president [illegible] When the [illegible] next [illegible] Mr. Sherman [illegible] Should Mr. Blaine be [illegible] Mr. Blaine and Mr. Sherman combine to destroy the Harrison administration it would in all probability be presented to the country.

In this connection the World correspondent [illegible] of another case where Mr. Blaine was sat upon by Mr. Harrison [illegible] Mr. Blaine was [illegible] Mr. Blaine heartily agreed with them. He said that he had been on the lookout for some way to show his appreciation to this man, the more so because he knew him to be entirely deserving. The appointment would be made. With this assurance the delegation left and Mr. Blaine started for the White house to attend a cabinet meeting. Arriving there and before he had a chance to mention the subject to the president Mr. Harrison said: "By the way, Mr. Secretary, I shall send the name of Mr. Goldsmith of Wisconsin to the senate to-day to be consul general at Vienna." Mr. Blaine was completely taken back. He made a diplomatic protest and finding that of no avail he asked for a delay in the appointment. If the nomination went in that day it would place Mr. Blaine in a very embarrassing position with Mr. Phelps and the delegation that had called on him in the morning in the interest of another man. But the president refused to alter his determination, and the nomination of Goldsmith was sent to the senate that afternoon. The delegation called on Mr. Blaine for an explanation. He simply said: "Gentlemen I am not responsible. I could not help it. The president made the appointment against my wishes."

There was a tightening of Mr. Blaine's lips as he spoke. He felt the embarrassment of his position keenly.

CLAUS SPRECKELS ON HIS WAY EAST

He Thinks There Is a Great Future for the Sugar Beet Industry

CHICAGO, April 25.—Claus Spreckels of San Francisco arrived yesterday on his way to Philadelphia.

"I am going," he said, "to start my new refinery which will be [illegible] It has cost $3,000,000 and is beyond question the largest in the world. It was a move I had to make, and since I made it I am afraid of no man, company or association in the refining business."

Spreckels spoke of his beet sugar enterprise on the coast and said the company had just paid a [illegible] per cent dividend.

He was asked: "What is the future of the sugar beet in America?"

"My own idea is that in a few years we will import no sugar. Not only does the beet grow to perfection in California, but it can be as easily grown here in the central states, in Illinois particularly.

"Saturday the few remaining shares of the $[illegible] stock company, of which I own a majority, was subscribed in San Francisco and the new company was incorporated, the facilities of which will be amply able to supply America with beet sugar. After this first year's trial we will go at the business on a larger scale. [illegible] each on the same general plan of the one already in existence, will be built in different parts of California. They will turn out only raw sugar and the product will be sold to the refiners. The Philadelphia refinery will not handle this beet sugar. It will be devoted to the refining of the raw imported article. With both these companies in operation I think I can work against any trust."

SORGHUM SUGAR IN KANSAS

TOPEKA, Kans., April 25.—E. [illegible] Cowgill, state sugar inspector, says that a number of new sorghum sugar factories will be started in Kansas this year and that the sugar product will be many times greater than last year.

NEWS FROM THE ORIENT

The Foreign Ministers Banqueted in Honor of the Emperor's Marriage

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—The steamship Rio de Janeiro arrived to-day from Shanghai and Hong Kong with mail advices up to March 29 from Hong Kong, and April 8 from Yokohama.

The foreign ministers and their first secretaries of legation were recently given a banquet at Pekin by Tsung Li Yamen in connection with the marriage of the emperor. Speeches were delivered by Prince Ching and the American and German ministers in which assurances of a friendly feeling were reciprocated.

Rumors are again current concerning the illness of Li Hung Chang. It is stated that he is seriously indisposed, and that he can scarcely articulate distinctly.

Admiral Belknap, U. S. N., commanding the Asiatic squadron, arrived at Yokohama on April 6.

WINE GROWERS TO ORGANIZE

A Combination of Vineyardists and Wine Makers of California

NEW YORK, April 25.—It is announced to-day that the long continued efforts to bring the California wine growers together has at last taken definite shape. John P. Pooter, representing the viticultural commission of California at the Paris exposition, took steps before his departure on Saturday to perfect an organization for the combination of both the vineyard and wine interests of California. He has the support of large capitalists and the assurance of additional support and co-operation from France.

ARRESTED FOR SHOPLIFTING

The Wife of a Prominent Chicago Divine Arraigned in the Police Court

CHICAGO, April 25.—Mrs. Josephine Kirkham, [illegible] of General Drake of Des Moines, Iowa, founder of Drake University, and wife of Rev. Kirkham, editor of the *Christian Oracle* and pastor of the First Christian church, was arraigned in the police court this morning for shoplifting. The proprietor of the store declared that he caught her in the act. The hearing was postponed.

Death of a Prominent Man

WAUKEGAN, Ill., April 25.—Hon. Elijah M. Haynes, an old and prominent citizen and ex-speaker of the state house of representatives, died this morning. He had just completed a treatise on the Indian race and dialects of America, to which he had given a quarter of a century of research.

Heir to the Roumanian Throne

BUCHAREST, April 25.—King Charles received the municipal authorities to-day. It is officially announced that his nephew Prince Ferdinand has been selected as heir to the throne of Roumania.

Fatal Railroad Accident

GLENMARY, Tenn., April 25.—By a collision between two freight trains yesterday Conductor Hineline and Brakeman Taylor were killed. Engineer Rusk was fatally and two others slightly hurt.

Around the World

NEW YORK, April 25.—The yacht Coronet which has sailed around the world returned in good condition. All are well. R. T. Bush, the owner, and family are on board.

Mr. Blaine Better

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Blaine is better this morning but the weather is bad and it is thought best for him not to venture out.

To be Submitted to a Vote

HARTFORD, April 25.—The house has concurred with the senate to submit to a vote a constitutional prohibition amendment.

Eastern Temperature

CHICAGO, April 25.—Temperature: New York [illegible], Chicago, 40; St. Paul 4[illegible]; Winnipeg 48; New Orleans [illegible].

A Pool Player Dead

NEW YORK, April 25.—Albert M. Frey, the pool champion, died this morning of pleuro-pneumonia.

A Sudden Death

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Ex-Congressman B. J. Ellis of Louisiana died suddenly to-day.

Anti Dressed Beef Bill Passed

LANSING, Mich., April 25.—The house has passed the anti-dressed beef bill.

IS IT GENUINE?

Probably thousands of people in this section of country, and this section is no exception to any other in this respect in the United States, have read the report said to have been written by Professor S. A. Lattimore, Ph. D., LL. D., Analyst of Foods and Medicines, New York State Board of Health, [illegible] of Chemistry in the Rochester, N. Y., University, stating that all of the Safe Remedies manufactured by H. H. Warner & Co. were pure, [illegible] none nor did any of them contain [illegible] mercury or deleterious substances. To hasten the controversy, however, we will give Professor Lattimore's report entire:

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Mr. H. H. Warner has placed in my hands the formulæ of the several medicines manufactured and sold under the general designation of Warner's Safe Remedies. I have investigated the processes of manufacture which are conducted with extreme care and according to the best methods. I have taken from the laboratory samples of all the articles used in the preparation of the medicines, as well as the several medicines in which they enter. I have also obtained from different druggists in this city Warner's Safe Remedies and upon critical examination *I find them to be free from mercury and from poisonous and deleterious substances.*

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THE GREAT OIL OCTOPUS.

How the Standard Company Ruined the Ohio Fields.

After Driving Out the Original Workers of the Wealth Producing Section It Gobbled Up the Land and Now Holds Them

Cleveland Leader.

When oil was accidentally discovered while drilling for gas in the broad level fields of Ohio three years ago, it was confidently believed that the problem of supplying the constantly and rapidly increasing demand for petroleum products at low prices had been solved.

The production of the Pennsylvania fields had then fallen to a point far short of the consumption and the discovery of the new fields changed the outlook from one of approaching famine to one of abundance for years to come.

An army of producers, many of them from the withering fields of Pennsylvania, proceeded forthwith to the new fields of Ohio. Wells without number were drilled. The oil was easily reached and the quantity produced was phenomenal. The market value of the product was 60 cents per barrel and producers and land owners all saw visions of enormous riches almost within their grasp.

Suddenly there came without warning an official report from the mysterious realm of the Standard Oil Company that the Ohio oil was not marketable. Indeed it had been discovered to be of a decidedly inferior grade. It would give only a poor light at best and was said to possess an unmanageable obstacle in the form of an odor so repugnant that it would be absurd to ask the public to use it. It was also said to be deficient in many of the elements necessary to a good lubricant and in fact unfit for either domestic or mechanical purposes and in short useless except for fuel.

Of course the announcement was most vigorously denied by the producers and the public press championed their cause but to no purpose. The edict had gone out and even fact had to give way to absurd fiction. The Standard furnished substantial evidence to back up its claims by rapidly reducing the price of Lima oil from 60 cents to 15 cents per barrel, which price barely covers the cost of getting it out of the ground after the well is completed. This price still prevails and has prevailed for nearly two years.

THE GAME OF FREEZE OUT

The effect of this sudden move of the monopoly can be easily imagined. Everybody interested became discouraged and with hopes blasted sought to sell out but buyers were nowhere to be found, there being no profit in the business at 15 cents a barrel. Many succumbed, being unable to meet the obligations made on a basis of the 60 cent oil, and the merits of the case and wandered away poverty stricken. Many of them are said to have returned to the Pennsylvania fields with the hope of recovering their lost fortunes there and it is a matter of regret that this piece of news must necessarily make known to them the fact that they were not only deliberately driven away from good property in the Ohio fields but are again at the mercy of the great corporation and not unlikely to be again evicted for the Standard is preparing to refine Lima oil on a large scale, and Ohio and Pennsylvania fields are being united by a pipe line and the Standard Oil Company has bought at a great sacrifice and now owns nearly all of their old possessions in the Ohio fields and is to-day refining Ohio oil in a moderate way so successfully that it is being marketed everywhere without even exciting a suspicion of a change in the source of supply. All of the bad odor and dimness of two years ago has disappeared as mysteriously as it came and we see the transparent brilliant, odorless oil of the Pennsylvania fields duplicated from the Ohio product in the fuel oil tanks of the Standard Oil Company at Lima, O. Chemistry has overcome all obstacles.

A HIGH HANDED DEAL

There probably never was a more high handed or more successful deal perpetrated under the cover of strategy. The Standard Oil Company not only secured for 15 cents oil which will be soon found to be worth much more now that the monopoly owns it, but by continuous discouragement succeeded in buying oil land for barely what it is worth for agricultural purposes. The scheme was worked so successfully that everybody wanted to sell out and leave the country and when real estate was sufficiently depressed the Standard condescended to buy and it has acquired about 13,000 acres of Ohio oil land by actual purchase at an expense of about $100 per acre, or $1,300,000. This includes practically the whole of the Cygnet and North Baltimore fields in Wood county, amounting to 3,000 acres, and 10,000 acres in the heart of the as yet wholly undefined Lima field in Allen county. The Standard has acquired most of this territory within the last three months.

The manner of working the scheme is interesting. First the oil was said to be worthless except for fuel, and as there was no demand for it for that purpose the Standard didn't care for the oil at any price, but condescended to take the oil and the chances of creating a full market for it at a net cost of 15 cents per barrel. The field being decidedly productive the Standard has accumulated and now has in over 400 35,000-barrel tanks—nearly 15,000,000 barrels of this oil, or an amount equal to the whole supply in the Pennsylvania field according to the National Transit Company's report, which shows about 15,000,000 barrels in that field exclusive of sediment. While accumulating this oil the Standard has been gathering in the land which produced it and is to-day the owner of territory which, when actively worked and extended, will produce about all the oil the monopoly requires. The fact that the Lima field is as yet undefined is due to the 15 cent oil which stopped the drills and now that the truth is known these operations will probably begin at once and as in the case of the Pennsylvania fields be carried on to the uttermost parts of the oil earth where only oil or gas is found.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE PRODUCT

The present product at 15 cents per barrel averages [illegible] 044 barrels daily according to the Standard reports for March. The Standard has for three months had and still has men in the Lima field buying all the developed territory it can get at farm prices and now is about to consummate the deal which has been progressing since the announcement that Lima oil is worthless two years ago by building the largest refinery in the world at Lima and by connecting the Ohio fields with the Pennsylvania tankage by a pipe line from Cygnet, a new oil town in Wood county, Ohio, to Beaver, Penn., where it will connect with all existing pipe lines leading to its several refineries throughout the East. The right of way has been secured and the pipe bought and the pumping station at Cygnet is now well under way. This line will be of eight inch pipe and will have a daily capacity of about 30,000 barrels. It has been announced by the Standard that this line is to supply Cleveland with fuel oil but the absurdity of the claim will be apparent when the fact that there is practically no demand in Cleveland for fuel oil is taken into consideration, together with the capacity of the line.

THE [illegible] OF THE LINE

As a matter of fact [illegible] Cleveland [illegible] the [illegible] of the line will be through Bellevue. [illegible] across the Cuyahoga [illegible] between Cleveland and [illegible] to Mantua on the New York, Pennsylvania & Ohio Railway, where the [illegible] from the Pennsylvania [illegible] is reached. From this point to Beaver the line follows the right of [illegible] line.

The Standard has within the last [illegible] orders with the National Tube Works [illegible] number of the leading [illegible] mills [illegible] the pipe for this line. About 400 miles of pipe has been ordered and the distance from Cygnet to Cleveland is about 100 miles. The contracts call for delivery of the pipe within three months at points to be designated later.

What effect the building of this line will have on the Pennsylvania field remains to be seen and conclusions must be drawn from the fact that the Standard now owns its own territory in Ohio with production nearly equal to that of the Pennsylvania field together with 15,000,000 barrels of oil in Ohio tanks. It must also be remembered that it costs the Standard only 15 cents per barrel to get the Ohio oil out of the ground. Will the octopus now turn around and use the Ohio [illegible] with which it [illegible] the [illegible]

[illegible] will be united by a pipe line.

NOTE AND COMMENT

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The Shoshone [illegible] [illegible] cattle at $10 [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Oil [illegible] [illegible] certainly have it to do.

The Tillamook [illegible] [illegible] are sending in and locating men by the hundreds. Another Portland and San Francisco combination will soon be engaged in acquiring timber lands here and the prospect is that every foot of timber land worth having in that county will in the course of a very few years be taken. The *Headlight* does not seem to realize that sending men by the hundreds to locate land is done to acquire lands by fraud, and that the lands of the country should be kept for the homeseeker and not the speculator. But with papers in such a district the business created by lumber mills and the advertising that come from the location of lands compensates for any delinquency that attends the taking up of lands.

Montana has an output of about $40,000,000 a year from her mines over one third of which is copper. Helena with 15,000 people has a dozen millionaires and the city is making improvements such as few cities of that rate can afford. It is being splendidly built up, some of the bank buildings being of stone. The banks have $8,000,000 on deposit. There is no disputing the fact that Montana is the richest mining region in America and probably in the world. It is not yet fairly prospected and if the mines now known were opened and worked the yearly yield of metal would be worth $450,000,000. The mines at Butte are in a sharp mountain ridge that forms the highest summit range, the very backbone of the continent of North America.

Democratic papers are making a great ado about Corporal Tanner. At first he was determined to pension every soldier in need whatever his needs and would bankrupt the treasury and swamp the surplus in about six months. The tune has changed already because Tanner proposes to permit no frauds and finds that many were perpetrated under Black. Now he is earning the hate of these same papers by not granting enough pensions. Really these gentlemen are hard to please. We have hardly overcome the prejudice caused by their assertions that Tanner would do and overdo the pension business, when they charge their base and he will not do enough. There is no use in trying to be a democrat when you can't keep up with the procession.

The Tacoma *Ledger* has posted its accounts and [illegible] up the value of [illegible] [illegible] banks and [illegible] many private [illegible] This [illegible] but the *Ledger* is oblivious and intimate comparisons which are odious as the maxim hath it but then people will indulge in them as they do in other intemperate things. San Francisco with over 300,000 population has only [illegible] national banks and thirty private ones. But there is a difference—here are banks and banks, and possibly one of those California banks could cover all the Tacoma institutions and go them some better. Tacoma has expanded into the wilderness and has set her stake out in the mud [illegible] room to grow [illegible] and will grow as fast as time and [illegible] will permit. Bragging [illegible] the [illegible] is better [illegible] say that Tacoma is rapidly gaining on the [illegible] city looks weakly pretentious. They had better wait until they catch up with Seattle and some other towns that can [illegible] before they open their mouths to swallow San Francisco.

It is remarkable that while the Union Pacific falls off in its receipts and its expenses increase, the Northern in eight months and a half shows a little over three millions increase over the previous year and will be four millions ahead within the year. This is due to increased traffic at the far end of the line as through travel and freight pay far the best. The growth must be chiefly in the mining districts of Montana, Idaho and Washington and the great immigration to the Pacific. The Short Line has the trade of Southern Idaho and Eastern Oregon and brings many passengers. In these respects it should be gainer enough to hold its own with former years as Idaho is attracting many as also the mines of Lake county. The good fortune of the Northern Pacific will attract attention of capital to the country that creates it and the world will begin to know more of this portion of the Pacific. The immigration now coming is in great part from states that have hitherto made but little acquaintance with our section of the United States and are said to be of a superior class. They hail from Pennsylvania, New York, Ohio, Illinois and Indiana and have means to establish themselves comfortably.

Wallula was a few years ago merely a [illegible] station on the line of the O. R. & N. Co. and had a few stores that did business with Umatilla, [illegible] miles away. There were very few residences there and the impression was that it never would regain the glory of its past. But even Wallula has a present for the town has developed and supports a newspaper. This newspaper, *Her [illegible]*, the town as growing and prosperous, with good farming country on all sides. [illegible] the wilderness blossoms and [illegible] the waste places are sites for thriving towns. Wallula is now a railroad center and there is a great country on both sides the Columbia that supports it. It is pleasant to see the old places resume their importance and revive again under the inspiration of new condition. Twenty to thirty years ago steamboats ran up the Columbia and Umatilla and Wallula were the distributing points for trade with all the regions beyond where mining was active. Now railroads interfered with these plans and the two towns throve [illegible] [illegible] decadence and seemed [illegible] for all time. But they respond again to modern changes and will from henceforth prosper beyond a doubt.

Southern California is having a rather hard time to [illegible] from a private letter received from a lady [illegible] of Oregon now of Ontario, [illegible] Los Angeles, she says: "The storm of December [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] perfectly even [illegible]

[illegible] Nat Brown, as clever and liberal a soul as ever breathed, was the then agent for Adams & Co. He went down to meet the steamer and found his friend on board. When he asked him where [illegible] the [illegible] half [illegible] to San Francisco [illegible] the $70 and gave him a commission to buy the aforesaid. He went and so did time and they had about forgotten a bell was due when six months after their agent returned. He had a memory oblivious to monetary obligations as the state of Oregon and his bondsmen found out years after.

[illegible]

THE DISCONTENTED SOLDIER

An Epidemic of Suicide at Fort Sherman in the Past Few Months

FORT SHERMAN, Idaho, April 22.—There seems to be a regular epidemic of suicide at this post. Soldiers get discontented and in a fit of depression take their own lives. The latest victim of despondency and self-murder is Corporal Sixey, Company H, Fourth infantry. He [illegible] himself dead on Saturday morning April 10. He was buried the same day. On the Sunday previous, April 14, Private Edwards, Troop E, Second cavalry, died quite suddenly from the effect of morphine self-administered. On December 8 last Private Busse, Troop I, Second cavalry, killed himself in the troop stable by deliberately firing a ball into his brains. On December 2 last Private Hempel, Company D, Fourth infantry, died from the effects of morphine.

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Free Passage to Chili

SAND POINT, I. T., April [illegible]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

I noticed a publication in an Eastern paper to the effect that they were shipping men to Chili for the purpose of building a railroad there and that they were giving free passage to all such. If so would you inform me as to where I could get the desired information and whom I should address for the same.

H. H. WHIMS.

[We know nothing about the matter. Several months ago such a report was received from New York by telegraph but nothing has been heard about it since.]

HEAD OF NAVIGATION

PEORIA, Linn Co., O.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

I noticed in your issue of the 22d inst in the lengthy description of Corvallis and surrounding country speaking of the Willamette river the writer says: "Corvallis is practically the head of navigation. Boats seldom if ever ascend above this point." Now, for the benefit of those who don't know the facts in the case, I want to state that boats are now running, and have been more or less all winter up to this place and very often as far up as Harrisburg, and farther. Any captain, who is acquainted with the river channel claims that there is a better channel between Corvallis and Peoria than there is in many places below Corvallis.

W. W. C.

In these days when [illegible] adulteration [illegible] [illegible] that is thoroughly reliable. Walter Baker & Co.'s breakfast cocoa is eminent in this limited class. No chemicals are used in its manufacture and it is absolutely pure. It forms moreover a delicious and healthful drink, as refreshing, and more nutritious than tea or coffee, and free from the injurious effects that those beverages sometimes produce. And it is very cheap withal. The house of Walter Baker & Co. has maintained for more than 100 years a great and honored reputation by the excellence and purity of its manufacture.

It Was Russell's Father

Chicago Herald.

On Pennsylvania avenue: "Do you know who that man walking along there with his head bent as in thought is?"

"No. Who is he?"

"That is President Harrison."

"What! the father of Russell Harrison? Well, I want to get a good look at him."

[illegible] CIGARETTES ARE THE BEST.

CIGARETTE SMOKERS WHO ARE WILLING to pay a little more than the price charged for the ordinary trade Cigarettes, will find the

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They are made from the very highest cost Gold Leaf grown in Virginia, and are unequaled for their delicate aroma and rare fragrance and are absolutely

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WANTED—HELP

GOOD BARBER WANTED AT FIRST AND [illegible]

G[illegible] WANTED [illegible] HOUSEWORK. [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] CENTRAL [illegible] No. [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] SKAVES [illegible] AND [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] COOKING AND [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] GIRL [illegible] TRAL [illegible] [illegible] No. [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] MAN WITH [illegible] COMBRAY

WANTED—EMPLOYMENT

WANTED [illegible] CLASS MILLER [illegible] [illegible] city [illegible]

LIVE YOUNG MAN [illegible] ACCOUNTANT [illegible]

WANTED—BY [illegible] [illegible]

WANTED [illegible] SITUATION AS PRIVATE [illegible]

WANTED BY [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] M. Ccre. [illegible]

WANTED—AGENTS

WANTED AGENTS IN THE COUNTY [illegible]

WANTED [illegible]

A[illegible] [illegible]

A[illegible] [illegible] WITH [illegible] First [illegible]

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED [illegible] A MAN AND WIFE BOARD [illegible]

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

$3750 WILL BUY [illegible] LOTS WITH SMALL [illegible] $1,500 down [illegible] $600 [illegible] Inquire 149 Lincoln. [illegible]

80 ACRES FARM [illegible] ACRES FENCED [illegible] acre orchard [illegible] 1½ mile of O. & C. R. R. depot [illegible] rolling [illegible] small timber [illegible] chicken [illegible] 10 or 15 [illegible] CHAS. F. WOOD, Room [illegible]

FOR SALE—QUARTER BLOCK IN EAST Portland in Tibbetts addition at a bargain. Inquire M. BORSCH, Merchant [illegible]

BARGAIN FOR A FEW DAYS ONLY—ONE lot in South Portland on [illegible] near Front st. graded and sidewalk laid [illegible] water handy for $1100 [illegible] or discount for cash. Address Avenue care Oregonian. 24a10

LOTS OR BLOCKS FOR SALE IN SOUTH Portland near Cricket Ground. Inquire 149 Taylor. 26atf

$100 FOR FULL-SIZED LOTS EACH 60x100 feet. Terms $20 down and $10 per month. The lots will advance to $200 May 1. COMPTON, BEALL & TREADWAY, 7 Morrison st. 24a5

$1200 FOR A CORNER LOT IN THE BEST residence portion of East Portland, near the Sunnyside motor. COMPTON, BEALL & TREADWAY, 7 Morrison st. 24a5

$160 FOR A WHOLE BLOCK AT YAQUINA city, 5 choice lots for $80, all in Stewart's addition. COMPTON, BEALL & TREADWAY, 7 Morrison st. 24a5

250 ACRES OF ALFALFA OR ORCHARD land for sale cheap; [illegible] 100 in cultivation; balance in oak timber and pasture; house and barn; small orchard; well and spring water; one mile from small town; three miles from [illegible]. Price $25 per acre. For further particulars address MRS. GEO. W. BROWN, Latourelle Falls, Or. 21atf

1000 ACRES TIMBER LAND CONVENIENT to ocean shipping and mills; land selected especially for timber. Price $10 per acre. MILLER & HOSKINS, Eugene, Ore. 6atf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

DIAMOND CLUSTER RING 28 BRILLIANTS, very handsome, for sale cheap; will trade for horse, buggy or suburban lot. [illegible] First st. 25a[illegible]

FOR SALE—FOUR YOKE OF WELL-BROKEN oxen, large and young, are in good condition [illegible] or address Bank [illegible] [illegible]

TO RENT—ROOMS AND OFFICES

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM SUITAble for two or three gentlemen; use of bath. [illegible] Second st. [illegible]

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS FOR RENT AT No. [illegible] Twelfth st. cor. Montgomery. 20a7

CHOICE FURNISHED ROOMS FOR GENTLEmen in [illegible] of [illegible] Apply W. A. W. Oregon National Bank or [illegible] Stark st. [illegible]

PLEASANT ROOM—GOOD LOCATION, Knickerbocker House, [illegible] Washington, between [illegible] and [illegible]. 1 [illegible]

FOR RENT—NEW FLAT OF [illegible] ROOMS OR 2 flats of [illegible] rooms. [illegible] [illegible] 5a3

ONE VERY NICE FRONT ROOM, NEWLY furnished, for two gentlemen; bath and all conveniences [illegible] Washington [illegible] [illegible]

FOR RENT—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED AL[illegible] room with [illegible] two [illegible] [illegible] Inquire Secretary [illegible] No. [illegible] Ash st. [illegible]

EAST PORTLAND—THE [illegible] BLOCK COR. Fourth and [illegible] sts. has been thoroughly renovated and newly furnished by the new purchaser. Is now ready for business. Rooms to rent by day, week or month. [illegible]

FOR RENT—IN THE [illegible] BLOCK, FIRST and Market sts. [illegible] newly furnished rooms; newly tinted; references required. [illegible]

PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOM FOR GENtlemen in private family. 1[illegible] East Park, between Yamhill and Taylor. [illegible]

NEATLY FURNISHED ALCOVE ROOM SUITable for two gentlemen or gentleman and his wife; references required. [illegible] 6atf

TO RENT—ROOMS IN AN APARTMENT building, in suites of 3 to 6; also stores in good location for grocery or other similar business. Apply to C. R. DEDMAN, 86 Second st. 30[illegible]

FOR RENT—FOUR ROOMS SUITABLE FOR offices at [illegible] Washington streets. They can be thrown together for shop or factory. B. KILLEN, owner, room 14, Strowbridge block, First and Alder streets. [illegible]

TO RENT—HOUSES AND STORES

FOR RENT—ELEGANT HOUSE OF 11 ROOMS at the N. W. corner Sixth and Stark. Inquire at 8 Front st. [illegible]

HOUSE FOR RENT AND FURNITURE FOR sale [illegible] good opportunity. Address J. M. B., care Oregonian. [illegible]

HOUSE FOR RENT AND FURNITURE FOR sale [illegible] rent of house $30 [illegible] furniture, carpets, hanging lamps, stoves, etc. [illegible] cash [illegible] possession May 1st [illegible] location and neighborhood [illegible] apply at [illegible]

FOR RENT—AN [illegible] FURNISHED [illegible] room house with bath. Inquire [illegible] at the Terminus House, N. E. cor. Third and E sts. [illegible]

FOR RENT—TWO HOUSES ON CARUTHERS st. one with 8 rooms [illegible] [illegible]

FOR RENT—A NEW [illegible] all modern improvements [illegible] on May 1. Inquire of J. H. [illegible] [illegible] 4 3

FOR RENT—[illegible] ROOM HOUSE, WITH [illegible] [illegible] and Caruthers [illegible]

BUSINESS CHANCES

DAIRYMAN OR SMALL [illegible] a good investment [illegible] address [illegible]

$150 WILL BUY [illegible]

A PARTY WITH [illegible] an excellent opportunity [illegible]

FOR SALE—AN ESTABLISHED MANUFAC[illegible]

WANTED [illegible]

FOR SALE [illegible] [illegible] $100 per day [illegible] real estate or will [illegible] owner sick [illegible]

FOR RENT—THE [illegible] MYERS, 201 [illegible] 19atf

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD FURNIture and chattels of every kind [illegible] [illegible] DEDMAN, 86 [illegible]

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—A [illegible] WITH [illegible] [illegible] M. RICHARDSON, at City [illegible]

STOLEN—ON [illegible] APRIL [illegible] FROM [illegible] [illegible] No. of works 100 [illegible] with J. A. Martin [illegible] [illegible] will pay $40 for return of the same and ask no questions. J. A. MARTIN, [illegible] 26a[illegible]

LOST—ABOUT 2 WEEKS AGO A PORTEMONnaie containing [illegible] [illegible] in nickels and a pair of gold mounted eyeglasses between Dr. Nichols office and the northeast corner of Third and Washington st. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving them at Dr. Nichols office, in the Abington block, Rooms 10, 11 and 14. 25a[illegible]

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J. [illegible] M. D., [illegible] FIRST STREET [illegible]

D[illegible] [illegible] FIRST [illegible]

G. [illegible] M. D., ABINGTON BUILDING [illegible] 7 to 8 P. M.

S[illegible] M. D., GOLDEN EAGLE [illegible] First and Data.

T[illegible] U. S. MARINE [illegible] from [illegible] Union block. [illegible]

A[illegible] WARREN, M. D., [illegible] 11 to 12:30, 1 to 5 [illegible]

D[illegible] PRICE, PHYSICIAN [illegible]

C[illegible] M. D. [illegible] First [illegible] Telephone 237

W. F. [illegible] M. D., SURGEON, [illegible] office [illegible]

W. H. SAYLOR, M. D., SURGEON AND PHY[illegible] block, cor. First and [illegible]

W. [illegible] ATKINS, M. D., ODD FELLOWS' [illegible] First and Alder. 9 to 12 [illegible]

A. [illegible] M. D., ODD FELLOWS' BUILDING, hours 11 to 12 A. M., 3 to 5, 7 to 8 P. M.

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W. [illegible] ATTORNEY AT LAW [illegible]

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G[illegible] D. D. S., ODD FELLOWS [illegible] First and Alder sts.

D[illegible] [illegible] FIRST AND [illegible]

N[illegible] DENTIST. OFFICE [illegible] of Morrison [illegible]

S[illegible] [illegible] 149 FIRST st. [illegible]

T[illegible] 16 [illegible] FIRST ST. [illegible]

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HAVE YOUR CARRIAGE TRIMMING DONE by J. W. McGINN, New Haven Carriage [illegible] tory, N. W. cor. Fourth and B sts. Satisfaction guaranteed. Country orders solicited.

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NOTICE — CHOICE BUSINESS AND RE[illegible] dence lots to lease for a term of years, near railroad bridge, in McMillen's addition to East Portland. Inquire J. H. McMILLEN. [illegible]

REWARD—I WILL GIVE A REWARD OF [illegible] [illegible] or Alder st. [illegible]

NEW MODE LINE [illegible] CARLOADS OF [illegible] Eastern furniture just unpacked. Bedroom [illegible] chiffoniers, sideboards, extension dining tables, [illegible] carriages, carpets, curtains, stoves, etc. Everything you want in the household furnishing line on easy weekly or monthly payments. FORBES & WHEELER, [illegible] First st. [illegible]

JOHN THOMPSON & CO. HAVE BEEN AP[illegible] pointed agents for the purchase of rag stock for Columbia River Paper Co., and are prepared to [illegible] for cash Rags, Burlaps, Manila rope and [illegible] of paper stock, Old Iron and Metal of all kinds. 45 and 47 [illegible] Portland, Oregon. [illegible]

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE Portland [illegible] Association. We propose to give [illegible] for the bar and restaurant [illegible] City View track for a period [illegible] The association reserves the right to [illegible] all bids. Proposals must be delivered to the [illegible] on or before May [illegible] [illegible]3a5 S. A. CONST, Secretary, Portland Speed Association.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—[illegible] annual meeting of the stockholders of the Columbia Fire and Marine Insurance Company for the election of directors and such other business as may come before the meeting will be held at the office of the company, No. 46 Washington st., Portland, on the second Wednesday, May 8, 1889, at 7:30 P. M.

FRANK DEKUM, President.

Attest: JOHN A. CHILD, Secretary.

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SUTTON & BEEBE, SHIP CHANDLERY AND naval stores. 16 N. Front street, Portland, Or.

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ALLEN & LEWIS, COMMISSION AND [illegible] sion Merchants, Front and D sts., Portland, Or.

P[illegible] WELL & SHIELDS, GENERAL COMMISSION, [illegible] No. 80 First, cor. Jefferson, Portland, Or.

C[illegible] & CO., SHIPPING AND COMMISSION Merchants, [illegible] Front street, Portland, Or.

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C[illegible] & [illegible] WHOLESALE GR[illegible] Commission Merchants, 54 and 56 First [illegible]

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ALISKY CANDY [illegible] CO., ONLY STEAM [illegible] power [illegible] Northwest. We keep everything [illegible] or baker will need. [illegible] 103 First street, Portland, Or.

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GARRISON'S [illegible] THIRD ST. AGENCY [illegible] [illegible] used and all other [illegible] [illegible] Sperm oil, needles, attachments [illegible]

DENTISTS.

D[illegible] WALKER, [illegible] FIRST ST., [illegible] [illegible] to 4 and 7 to 8 [illegible]

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COMMERCIAL

FRIDA[illegible]

[illegible]			
A. M.		P. M.	
Time	*Height*	*Time*	*Height*
11[illegible]	4 ft	10 [illegible]	[illegible]

THURSDAY, [illegible]

Merchandise [illegible] for soon to [illegible] [illegible] machinery. [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] cigars [illegible]

Produce receipts for the part were [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] 10 tons hay [illegible]

FREIGHTS—The situation is an [illegible] for [illegible] owners but little new [illegible] The only feature [illegible] of the solid [illegible] The Martha Fisher [illegible] looking for a similar charter. The [illegible] engaged in leaving the Otterspool [illegible] ship in port loading. The Varduara [illegible] [illegible] 1113 tons are two [illegible] been [illegible] to the [illegible] to arrive [illegible] very small. For grain charters [illegible] [illegible] rate but shipowners are [illegible] while there is a possibility of a west [illegible] charter. The following is a statement [illegible] of tonnage of the port:

In port—Disengaged
Engaged loading
Ready for sea at Astoria

Total tonnage in port
On the way—Due to arr[illegible]

WHEAT—The market is weak [illegible] new feature. Foreign cables report [illegible] abroad. We quote for local mark[illegible] nominal quotations. Eastern [illegible] ley $1 27½ @1 30.

The New York market [illegible] upon yesterday's [illegible] throughout the [illegible]

	C[illegible]	O[illegible]
April	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	83	[illegible]
June	84¼	84¼
July	8[illegible]	[illegible]
August	84[illegible]	[illegible]

At Chicago the market op[illegible] [illegible] The fluctuations during the [illegible]

	24th Closed	O[illegible]
April	[illegible]	[illegible]
May	8[illegible]	81
June	10[illegible]	[illegible]
July	[illegible]	[illegible]

The following is a statement of w[illegible] by English farmers' imports into the [illegible] dom and quantities on passage [illegible] ended as below, together with the [illegible] period in 1888:

FARMERS' DELIVERIES.

April 1[illegible], 1889	[illegible] qrs. w[illegible]
April 2[illegible], 1889	[illegible] qrs. w[illegible]
April 16, 1888	[illegible] qrs. w[illegible]
April [illegible], 1888	[illegible] qrs. w[illegible]

IMPORT[illegible]

April 6, 1889	[illegible]
April 2[illegible], 1889	[illegible]
April 1[illegible], 1888	14[illegible]
April 24, 1888	[illegible]

QUANTITIES AFLOAT

April 16, 1889, wheat and flour	[illegible]
Wheat	[illegible]
April [illegible] 1889, wheat and flour	[illegible]
Wheat	[illegible]
April 17, 1888, wheat and flour	[illegible]
Wheat	336,000 [illegible]
April [illegible], 1888, wheat and flour	[illegible]
Wheat	[illegible]

EGGS—The market is a little [illegible] few lots have gone at less than [illegible] latter [illegible]

POULTRY—Chickens in good [illegible] very plentiful and weak [illegible] coops brought $5, but $4 50 is [illegible] $4 for broilers.

MARKETS BY TELEG[illegible]

NEW YORK STOCK MARKE[illegible]

NEW YORK, April 25.—The stock m[illegible] was more active and decidedly stro[illegible] any time during the past week [illegible] aggregated business done was [illegible] gains at the close of the business [illegible] and material.

Government bonds have been d[illegible]

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCK[illegible]

NEW YORK, April 25.—Money on [illegible] @ [illegible]. Prime mercantile paper 4@[illegible] change, dull, firm; sixty-day [illegible] mand, $4 88½.

BONDS.

U. S. 4s (registered)	129½	U. S. 4½s (co[illegible]
U. S. 4s (coupon)	129½	Pacific 6s
U. S. 4½s (registered)	108	

STOCKS.

American Ex.	114	Northweste[illegible]
Canada Pacific	50¼	New York C[illegible]
Canada Southern	52½	Oregon Imp[illegible]
Central Pacific	35½	O. R. & N.
Burlington	94½	Transconti[illegible]
Del. & Lackawanna	137½	Pacific Mail
Rio Grande	16	Reading
Erie	28½	Rock Islan[illegible]
Kansas & Texas	13¾	St. Paul
Lake Shore	103¼	Texas Pacif[illegible]
Louisville & Nashville	68½	Union Pac[illegible]
Michigan Central	86½	U. S. Expre[illegible]
Missouri Pacific	71¼	Fargo Exp[illegible]
Northern Pacific	25¾	W. U.
N. P. Preferred	61¾	Am. Cotton

MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, April 25.—Consols, [illegible] lion per fine ounce, 42¼. Bank rate of discount 2½ per cent.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Sterling ex[illegible] $4 87½, sterling exchange short, [illegible] bonds 4s, 129½; U. S. bonds, 4½s, [illegible] lion per fine ounce, 92c.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Ster[illegible] sixty days, $4 86¼, sterling exchan[illegible] ary $4 88½. Transfers, 10 premiu[illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCK[illegible]

SAN FRANCI[illegible]

Ophir	$5 37	Exchequer
Mexican	4 95	Seg. Belche[illegible]
Gould & Curry	2 85	Justice
Best & Belcher	4 20	Union
Con. California	8 00	Challenge
Savage	3 00	Nevada Q[illegible]
Chollar	2 75	Bodie
Potosi	2 10	Peer
Hale & Norcross	4 45	Peerless
Crown Point	4 10	Overman
Yellow Jacket	[illegible]	[illegible]
Belcher	4 [illegible]	Imperial
Confidence	10 [illegible]	Mono
Sierra Nevada	3 80	N. Comm[illegible]
Utah	1 40	Grand Pr[illegible]
Bullion	1 6[illegible]	

SAN FRANCISCO MARKE[illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO, April [illegible]—[illegible] past 24 hours include [illegible] 15,000 qr sks oats [illegible] barley 163 ctls.

Freight and Charters—[illegible] prior wheat charter [illegible] the supplying [illegible] cover any shortage [illegible] taking up spot [illegible] charters were reported [illegible] namely: The ship [illegible] for Liverpool and the B[illegible] at [illegible] to U. K. Havre or [illegible] rival charters were British [illegible] British Lodestar [illegible] [illegible] Melbourne [illegible] Valparaiso [illegible] Nanaimo [illegible] firmly held but [illegible]

Wheat—The inquiry [illegible] and business [illegible] difficulty [illegible] anxious to clean up and [illegible] have depreciated about [illegible] the week and appears [illegible] values, owing to the firmness [illegible] buyers and firmness exhibited [illegible] market. No. 1 shipping, $1 [illegible] Compared with prices on [illegible] shows more strength than [illegible] buyers [illegible] being 2½c [illegible] [illegible] of the call board [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] July [illegible] [illegible] The good to choice [illegible] [illegible]

Eggs—Rather easier, the deman[illegible]

COMMERCIAL

FRIDAY, April 26.

High Water.				Low Water.			
A. M.		P. M.		A. M.		P. M.	
Time	Hight	Time	Hight	Time	Hight	Time	Hight
10.23	7.4 ft	10.55	8.0 ft	4.27	1.8 ft	4.40	1.0 ft

THURSDAY, April 25.

Merchandise received or soon to arrive by rail: 1 car agricultural machinery, 1 car agricultural implements and buggies, etc., 1 car car wheels, 101 pkgs hardware, 25 pkgs castings, 27 cs dry goods, 12 cs clothing, 41 cs boots and shoes, 70 pkgs tobacco, 4 cs cigars, 1 lot canned oysters, 3 lots ham, bacon, etc., 3 lots lard, 4 lots meal, 2 lots syrup.

Produce receipts for the past twenty-four hours: 622 ctls wheat, 238 bbls flour, 724 ctls oats, 250 ctls mill stuffs, [illegible] sks potatoes, 81,105 lbs wool, 140 lbs hides, 32 pkgs butter, 229 bxs eggs, 332 bxs green fruit, 10 tons hay, 55 hd cattle, 76 hd sheep, 604 hd hogs.

FREIGHTS—The situation is an improving one for ship owners, but little new business is reported. The only feature of the week was the engagement of the Salide for the west coast with lumber at 55s. The Martha Fisher is holding off, looking for a similar charter. The Shalimar is in and disengaged, leaving the Otterspool as the only ship in port loading. The Vandunra, 2012 tons, and Highland, 1113 tons, are two names that have been added to the "to arrive" list, which continues very small. For grain charters 35s is the only obtainable rate, but shipowners are loth to accept while there is a possibility of a west coast lumber charter. The following is a statement of the registered tonnage of the port:

In port—Disengaged	1,796
Engaged loading	1,798
Ready for sea, at Astoria	2,959
Total tonnage in port	6,653
On the way—Due to arrive	15,113

WHEAT—The market is weak and shows no new feature. Foreign cables report quiet market abroad. We quote for local market, the following nominal quotations: Eastern Oregon, $1 20; valley, $1 27½@1 30.

The New York market shows an improvement upon yesterday's closing. The fluctuations throughout the day were:

	24th. Closed	25th Opened	Noon	Closed
April	85¼			83
May	83	83⅞	83⅞	83¼
June	84½	84⅞	84⅝	84⅛
July	85¼	85¼	85⅛	85
August	84⅞	85⅛	85⅛	85¼

At Chicago the market opened and closed higher. The fluctuations during the day were:

	24th. Closed	25th Opened	Noon	Closed
April	79¾			80⅛
May	80¼	81	81¼	80⅞
June	80¼	81¼	81¼	81¼
July	78½	78⅞	79¼	79¼

The following is a statement of wheat deliveries by English farmers, imports into the United Kingdom, and quantities on passage for the week ended as below, together with the corresponding period in 1888.

FARMERS' DELIVERIES.

April 15, 1889	43,933 qrs. wheat, at 29s 11d
April 22, 1889	51,010 qrs. wheat, at 29s 10d
April 16, 1888	41,771 qrs. wheat, at 30s 3d
April 23, 1888	49,552 qrs. wheat at 30s 7d

IMPORTS.

April 16, 1889	151,000 qrs. wheat 126,000 bbls. flour
April 23, 1889	155,000 qrs. wheat 95,000 bbls. flour
April 17, 1888	147,000 qrs. wheat 277,000 bbls. flour
April 24, 1888	237,000 qrs. wheat 197,000 bbls. flour

QUANTITIES AFLOAT.

April 16, 1889, wheat and flour	1,847,000 qrs. for U K
Wheat	360,000 qrs. for Con't
April 23, 1889, wheat and flour	1,858,000 qrs. for U K
Wheat	322,000 qrs. for Con't
April 17, 1888, wheat and flour	2,201,000 qrs. for U K
Wheat	526,000 qrs. for Con't
April 24, 1888, wheat and flour	2,148,000 qrs. for U K
Wheat	370,000 qrs. for Con't

EGGS—The market is a little stronger and but few lots have gone at less than 15c. We quote the latter figure.

POULTRY—Chickens in good supply. Broilers very plentiful and weak. Some extra fancy coops brought $6, but $5 50 is a fair figure for old; $4 for broilers.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, April 25.—The stock market to-day was more active and decidedly stronger than at any time during the past week, and while the aggregated business done was not very large, the gains at the close of the business were universal and material.

Government bonds have been dull and firm.

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Money on call, easy at 2 @2½. Prime mercantile paper, 4@6. Sterling exchange, dull, firm; sixty-day bills, $4 87; demand, $4 88¾.

BONDS.

U. S. 4s (registered)	129½	U. S. 4½s (coupon)	108
U. S. 4s (coupon)	129½	Pacific 6s	121
U. S. 4½s (registered)	108		

STOCKS.

American Ex	114	Northwestern	106⅞
Canada Pacific	50¾	New York Central	107½
Canada Southern	52⅝	Oregon Imp	48½
Central Pacific	35⅜	O. R. & N	88½
Burlington	94½	Transcontinental	32⅜
Del. & Lackawanna	137½	Pacific Mail	36¼
Rio Grande	16	Reading	45¼
Erie	28⅜	Rock Island	92¼
Kansas & Texas	12⅜	St. Paul	65½
Lake Shore	103½	Texas Pacific	21⅞
L'ville & Nashville	68¾	Union Pacific	61⅛
Michigan Central	86¼	U. S. Express	84
Missouri Pacific	71¼	Fargo Express	138
Northern Pacific	25⅜	W. U.	85¾
N. P. Preferred	61⅜	Am. Cotton seed oil	55¼

MONEY MARKET.

LONDON, April 25.—Consols, 98 9-16. Silver bullion per fine ounce, 42⅛. Bank of England rate of discount 2½ per cent.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Sterling exchange, long, $4 87½; sterling exchange, short, $4 89½; U. S. bonds, 4s, 129¼; U. S. bonds, 4½s, 108¼; silver bullion per fine ounce, 92c.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Sterling exchange, sixty days, $4 86¼; sterling exchange, documentary, $4 85¾. Transfers, 10 premium.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.

Ophir	$5 37	Exchequer	80
Mexican	4 95	Seg. Belcher	2 80
Gould & Curry	2 85	Justice	1 35
Best & Belcher	4 20	Union	5 00
Con. California	8 00	Challenge	4 00
Savage	3 00	Nevada Queen	2 20
Chollar	2 75	Bodie	1 55
Potosi	2 10	Peer	35
Hale & Norcross	4 45	Peerless	75
Crown Point	4 10	Overman	1 40
Yellow Jacket	3 35	Alpha	2 10
Belcher	4 20	Imperial	65
Confidence	10 50	Del Monte	1 30
Sierra Nevada	3 80	N Commonwealth	1 20
Utah	1 40	Grand Prize	80
Bullion	1 00		

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Produce receipts past 24 hours include wheat, 5000 ctls, flour, 15,000 qr sks, oats, 1700 ctls, potatoes, 2800 sks, barley, 760 ctls.

Freight and Charters—Several vessels having prior wheat charters arrived in during the week, thus supplying most exporters with tonnage to cover any shortage that might exist without taking up spot tonnage. But two spot grain charters were reported during the past week, namely: The ship A. J. Fuller, 1782 tons at 28s 9d for Liverpool and the Br bk Antrim, iron, 1[illegible] tons at 32s 6d to U. K., Havre or Antwerp. Prior arrival charters were Br sh Buteshire, iron, 1300 tons at 27s 6d; Br sh Lodestar, iron, 1630 tons at [illegible]; Br sh Benlarig, iron, 1992 tons at [illegible]. Other charters include Ger bk Salide, Columbia river to Valparaiso. Nor bk Lotos, Puget sound to Melbourne; [illegible] Luisa Maria, Puget sound to Valparaiso. The ship Ericsson loads coal at Nanaimo for San Francisco. Grain tonnage firmly held but the demand is small.

Wheat—The inquiry for exports is very light and business has quieted down. Shippers find no difficulty in filling wants as holders are getting anxious to clean up, and offer freely. Values have depreciated about 5 cents per cental during the week, and appearances indicate still lower values, owing to indifference shown by foreign buyers and firmness exhibited in the local freight market. No. 1 shipping, $1 32½@1 33¾, option. Compared with prices one week ago, futures show more strength than spot wheat, the loss in buyer year being 2½c against [illegible] on spot. Trading on the call board has been generally without life or spirit. To-day's morning sales were 100 tons, buyer year, at $1 30¾; 500 tons at $1 [illegible], 100 tons at $1 30⅝, 100 tons at $1 [illegible], buyer season, $1 [illegible]; seller year (new), $1 2[illegible].

Barley—The tone of the market is not encouraging to the holding interests. While the stock of really choice feed is not heavy, holders entertain higher views than buyers, and consequently there is little diminution in holdings. Quote choice feed, [illegible] No. 1 feed, [illegible]; common grades, [illegible]; brewing, [illegible]; buyer year, [illegible].

[illegible]

Bags—Grain bags firmly held. Calcuttas, spot, 8¾c; June and July, 8⅝@8¾c.

Butter—Choice in good demand. Fancy roll 18c; good to choice, 15@17c; Eastern creamery, 18@21c.

Eggs—Rather easier, the demand having eased off. Quote California ranch at 17½@18c; Eastern, 14@14½c per dozen.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, April 25.—Wheat receipts during the past 24 hours at the seven primary points, east of the Rockies, were 168,000 bushels, and the shipments from these points during the same time were 187,000 bushels.

Wheat—Firmer. Opened—81c May, 81¼c June, 78⅞c July. Noon—81¼c May, 81¼c June, 79⅛c July. Closed—80⅛c April, 80⅞c May, 81¼c June, 79¼c July.

Provisions—Pork, $11 50 May. Lard, $6 80, May. Ribs, $5 95 May.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, April 25.—Cattle—Receipts, 10,350; steadier; beeves, $4 [illegible]; steers, $3 [illegible]; stockers and feeders, $2 [illegible]@3 40; Texas steers, $3 [illegible].

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; steady to stronger; mixed, $4 [illegible]@4 75; heavy, $4 50@4 72½; light, $4 50@4 80.

Sheep—Receipts, 6,000; slow; 10@20 cents lower; natives, $4 [illegible]; Western corn fed, $3 75@5; Texans, $3 25@4 50.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Grain freights to Liverpool by steam, 2¼d per bushel.

Wheat—Firmer; opened 83⅝c May, 84⅜c June, 85⅛c July, 85⅞c August. Noon—83⅝c May, 84⅝c June, 85⅝c July, 85⅜c August. Closed—83c April, 83⅝c May, 84⅝c June, 85⅞c July, 85¼c August.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW YORK, April 25.—Hops—Quiet; firm.

Coffee—Options opened barely steady at 10@15 points down and closed steady at 15@20 points down; sales, 61,000 bags; April, $16 25@16 35; May, $16 35@16 85; July, $16 65@16 75. Spot Rio, quiet; fair cargoes, 18¼c.

Sugar—Raw, firm; sparingly offered; fair refining, 6 7-16c; centrifugals, 96 test, 7¼c; refined, firm, good demand.

Copper—Stagnant.

Lead—Firmer; domestic, $3 65.

Tin—Lower; Straits, $20 70.

Bar silver, 92c.

Petroleum—Opened firm and closed strong at 85½c.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

BEERBOHM GRAIN REPORT.

LONDON, April 25.—The weather throughout England is unsettled. Since last report five wheat cargoes arrived, three wheat cargoes have been sold and nineteen remain waiting off coast for orders. Wheat cargoes off coast are steadier. Wheat cargoes on passage and for shipment are steadier. 4:30 P. M.—English country markets are steady.

LIVERPOOL, April 25.—Spot wheat, firmer. No. 1 California, 7s 1½d; No. 2 California, 6s 10½d; futures higher; No. 1 California, per cental, 7s April, May and June 7s ¾d July 7s August; 7s 1½d September.

PARIS, April 25.—French country markets are firmer. Spot wheat steady, flour firm.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, April 25.—Wheat—Firm and quiet holders offer moderately.

Corn—Firm, with fair demand; new mixed Western, 5s 10d per cental.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 25.—Arrived—Schr Melancthon, Coos bay; str City of Rio Janeiro, Hong Kong; Br sh Queen Victoria, Newcastle, Aus; str San Pedro, Tacoma. Sailed—Str Walla Walla, Port Townsend; str Cosmopolis, coastwise; Br sh Horsa, Cork; Br bark Grasmere, Cork; schr E. K. Wood, Tacoma; schr Emma Utter, Coos bay; str George W. Elder, Port Townsend; schr Hueneme, Port Townsend; schr Alcalde, Gray's harbor; ship Berlin, Cork.

PORT TOWNSEND, April 25.—Arrived—Sh Topgallant, San Francisco; Nor bk Carl Hansted, San Diego; Ger sh Elvira, San Pedro; Nor bk Runnow, Melbourne; sh Eureka, bk Carrie Winslow, sh Alice Gibson, San Francisco.

PORT DISCOVERY, April 25.—Arrived—Bktne Quickstep, brig Deacon, San Francisco.

PORT MADISON, April 25.—Arrived—Bk Tidal Wave, San Francisco.

PORT HADLOCK, April 24.—Arrived—Ship R. R. Thompson, San Francisco; sch Ida Schnaur, Port Townsend.

PORT GAMBLE, April 24.—Sailed—Str Lakme, San Francisco; sh Palmyra, San Francisco.

TACOMA, April 24.—Arrived—Ship Yosemite. Sailed—Sh Palestine and str Signal, San Francisco.

ASTORIA, April 25.—Schr Sparrow arrived in last evening. Schr James A. Garfield passed out 8 A. M. Str Danube arrived in 11 A. M. left up at noon.

FORT CANBY, April 25.—5 P. M.—Weather cloudy; wind north; bar smooth.

FOREIGN PORTS.

QUEENSTOWN, April 21.—Arrived—Br bk Embleton, Portland; sh Florence, Tacoma; Br sh Maxwell, Portland. 22d.—Br bk Allonby, Portland. Sailed 21—Br bk Nereus, from Portland for Dublin.

THE HOTELS.

ST. CHARLES.

W P McBride, Butte City
G R Wilson, New York
A C Keller, Glen Ida
W G Mellower, Sprague
Chas S Wright, Astoria
W R Ellis, Grand Round
L B Frazier, McCoy
V R Reed, Turner
L C Kinney, Astoria
P A Brant, Rainier
M Pomeroy, Rainier
F E Hobson, Newberg
Geo Wright, Tacoma
H H Harvey, Freeport
A B Little, St. Helens
F McClane, Silverton
Del Hart, Sprague
Hol N Nelson, Oak Point
F D Ramsey, Hartford
H P Elk, Vancouver
J D McGowen, Astoria
Miss Dibblee, Rainier
W H Kistner, St Helens
N W Allen, Spokane
J Shantilla, Fales
D Gallager, New York

H J Harrington, Boston
Max Young, Astoria
J T McIcalf, Montesano
A C Ewart, Ashland
J W Lane, Roseburg
H A Preston, New York
C D Hines, San Fran
M Ford, Astoria
H A Martin, Astoria
A F Cook, Seattle
A T Haworth, Newberg
F A Morris, do
Jas Garnett, Oak Point
H B Oatman, Portland
L S Moran, Dayton
D G Hill, Hood River
J L Clark, Corvallis
N H Huntington, Oak Pt
F Gaver, Hartford
H Allen, Portland
Arnold Wooin, Formgtn
M Jones, Rainier
H Smith, Oregon City
F W Fales, Fales
M Hurias, New York

MERCHANTS'.

C O Duval, Gray's har
Fred Wagner, do
C S Wornir, Tacoma
A S Wackins & fy, Mo
A I Agrew, Chicago
Patrick Conpion, Idaho
S Hilton & fy, Wash ter
Jos Ashley, Salem
Mrs Wannigan, do
Mrs Lud, do
Mike Seitz, Walla Walla
J W Colnen, do
Mrs E Woodd & fy, Hillsbo
D Clatfilder, Cal
C W Bossam, do
Z A Ginn, Salem
C J Warson, Jefferson
John Wilson, S F
Wm Johnson, Pendleton
R M Cooper, do
C E Johnson, Kas
R H Perkins, Mass
E Roberts, N Y
C Denison, do
A Brigg, Tacoma
T Miller, Nanaimo
W Miller, do
J O Connel, do
J Melton, do
E McMurray, do
Geo Cole, Wis

D Dyle, Mich
E Carr, do
J A Wore & w, Mass
F B Kavene, Vermont
H H Stevens & w, Mich
E B Stevens, do
Geo Walkey, Neb
Mrs E T Walkey do
Mrs A E Banett, do
Mrs A McChilten, do
J W Adams, Mont
C H Cody, do
T Thompson, do
Mrs A Lnyder, Silver lake
R B Doodler, Tacoma
J R Sharp, do
D W Bomell, Boston
B Duphy & w, do
Geo Knight, Tacoma
F Edwards, Seattle
R M Gamble, do
W M Robinson, Toronto
C Mailler, Sprague
F Kimbel, Seattle
C Welderprim, Chicago
J O Cornell, Seattle
Miss Dale & s, do
R Whieman, do
M Honnzday, Tacoma
Mrs McKay & s, Eugene
Mrs Culner, Wis

ESMOND.

C C Stephen, Cathlamet
F J Parker, Walla Walla
W H Sharp & wf, Dalles
R S Roberts, New York
H A Richardson & w, do
H A Strong & wf, do
Mr & Miss Strong, do
Mrs J L Steele, do
H L Peters, Idaho
Mrs J E Davis, Spokane
D R Bigham, Milwaukee
H C Winbrich, Vancouver
F A Page & fy, St Paul
A M Todd & wf, Boston
W T Eustis & wf, do
A J Huneke, do
E K McCoy, Portland
Mr & Mrs A Nesbitt, Pa
Miss Sadia Nesbitt, do
Fred Nesbitt, do
A G Nesbitt, do
F [illegible], Beatrice
J Wilkesson, Chicago
A A Whitney, Ohio
Mrs W E Smith, Oregon
Mrs Lattaretth, do
H R Van Horn, Salem
J J Benson & wf, Vane
G H W[illegible], Cleveland
W H Silverstone, do
T L Ball, Spencer

A H Smith, San Francisco
Will Frank, do
E E Rix & wf, do
A Moore, do
W H Grant, St Paul
E M McAdams, Omaha
J L Smith, Tacoma
Jas M Ashton, do
W F Koehler & wf, Tacoma
Stuart Rice, do
R Wingate, do
D J Schlordmother, do
Mrs J H Welt, do
K S Wolbaur, Chicago
Miss M Walbaur, Montreal
H C Libby & wf, Seattle
Geo Lanman, Spokane
Miss Danford, Conn
Miss Talbott, New York
Geo P Berger, Denver
P C McCallory, Vane
W K Tichenor, Clatsop
W Brown, Salem
C E Hawkins, Albany
P S Knight, Salem
Mrs F Chapman, Dalles
J Evans, do
P Glenn, do
T C Gilhany, S P Co
Rev Clark, Roseburg
L Dickman, Astoria

INTERNATIONAL.

Jacob Wohler, Minnesota
C W Jones, do
A Sutherland, do
R C Carders, do
W M Sisson, Ferndale
[illegible], Tacoma
[illegible], do
A C Nelson, Salem
[illegible]
[illegible]
E F Hadwick, Pendleton
Edw Ross, do
John Tessman, do
T Convert, Spokane
W Kingsbury, do

S C Counter, Jefferson
J M Dougle, Helena
Jas Kedaker, Steila
George Snyder, do
R M Martin, Roseburg
John Switzer, do
H A Woodward, Mich
C H Foster, New Era
T B Stuart, Sprague
Mrs Wright & c, do
T M Flynn, do
P Manvarkl, Illinois
F R C Deycks, do
Louis Olson, do
Harry Conlin, Montana
Carl Teichert, Missoula
H D Fuller, Dalles
C Kennedy, do
[illegible]
R F Alpin, do
[illegible]
Thos Woods, Seattle
W N [illegible], do
R Thorp, do
George West, St Paul
M Sturdt, do
Otto Wolter, do
Olaf Anderson, do
Dave Hutter, San Fran
M McFellagan, do
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PROGRESS OF HIGH LICENSE IN ILLINOIS.

Chicago Tribune.

Tuesday those villages and cities in this state which have been incorporated under the general law held their charter elections. In only half of them at the most was there a direct fight between republicans and democrats, and no particular drift of gains or losses is observable. The great question was "license" or "no license" tax or prohibition. The returns show that the supporters of tax made large gains. For every place they lost owing to a revulsion in feeling they carried three or four. The losses of the prohibition people were chiefly in the larger towns.

A year ago Rockford voted for prohibition. So many of the citizens, however, were determined to have "drink," whatever the city ordinance might be, that the law was not enforced, and "no license" amounted to free liquor. There was plenty of bad whisky and poor beer for sale, and the sellers were free from all tax. The property owners paid more to meet the expenses of the city government, while whisky paid nothing and drunkenness increased. Tired of this sort of prohibition which did not prohibit, the voters went overwhelmingly for a tax on liquor. The result will be that by a $1000 tax, superfluous doggeries will be closed, the "business" will be more decently managed, and the municipal treasury will gain. The "no license" party made a strong attempt to carry Belvidere, but met with hard defeat. The W. C. T. U. women labored around the polls and begged every voter to go for prohibition. But the voters said: "We have tried prohibition that doesn't prohibit. We have waterworks to pay for, a bridge to build, a new electric light plant. These things cost money, and the saloons must help furnish it. Liquor will be sold anyway, so let us tax the saloons heavily and get all the revenue possible out of it."

In a majority of the cases where the tax ticket won the saloons will have to pay $1000, which is coming to be regarded everywhere as the proper minimum in this state. The Woodstock election turned on this question, and the voters by a decisive majority endorsed the $1000 tax ticket. There had been some talk in Joliet about raising the tax to $2000, and some of the aldermen ran on that issue. They were unsuccessful, and it is unlikely that such a radical advance will be made soon. On the other hand, there is no fear of an abandonment of the $1000 tax which has been asked in Joliet so long. The mayor-elect is the man who gave the casting vote in favor of $1000, and a majority of the council believe in sticking on to something which has worked so well. After a while the tax may be raised still higher.

The small villages, where the population is stationary and homogeneous, where the Puritan element dominates, where there are comparatively few who care for liquor and where taxation is not burdensome, hold fast to no license and enforce prohibition. In short, the bulk of the farmers are for prohibition and the city people for high tax.

FREIGHTS AND FRUIT AGAIN.

Pacific Rural Press.

The San Jose Board of Trade deserves full praise for bringing the matter of fruit freights prominently forward as its delegates did at the meeting of the state Board of Trade, as noted in last week's *Rural*. The fruit growers in their own meetings have declared themselves on the subject, appointed their committees to urge a more mellow policy on the railways, etc., but it is exceedingly desirable that the matter be made a question of public concern, as it is likely to be now that it has been thrown into the lap of the State Board of Trade. The whole population of California is deeply interested in this matter. Every man who supplies anything to a fruit grower, from a fruit box nail to a piano; every one who serves him, from his cook to his dentist; every one who advises him, from his horse doctor to his preacher—in fact the whole community of laborers, artisans, manufacturers, merchants and professional men, are deeply interested that the fruit-grower should be drawn safely out from this the last ditch he has fallen into.

Nor are the railways themselves less interested in the proposition. They ought not to be long in getting at the goose-golden-egg philosophy of this question. They are largely interested as carriers, and policy as carriers should dictate fostering rates for an industry which turns out as much weight in small compass as the fruit growers and driers and canners do. But the railways—that is our great corporation at this end of the line at least—are largely interested also in lands, and the question of the value of that land depends directly upon the profits of the fruit growers. These giant land owners seem quite active in sustaining enterprises likely to induce immigration, and they are wise in that; but where is the sense of spending money to bring people in unless an equal effort is made to take produce out at living rates? At present our growers are in deep doubt and concern; the canners are protesting and holding meetings, hoping to get relief. How long will it take the outside world to hear of these facts, and how many men will come to invest in California fruit properties when the idea gets abroad that the railroads take all there is in the business? Property is now appreciating and enterprise advancing upon the general idea that there will be great rewards in supplying California fruits and fruit products to the millions at the East. The railways have it in their own hands to determine how soon this idea shall be proclaimed and how soon the bottom shall drop out of the fruit and real estate markets. There is no use mincing words over this matter. The present rates are extortionate and give the mass of the profits to the transportation companies. This is not right; it is not decent; it is not good policy even to those who are just now receiving the lion's share, because, as sure as fate, they will commit financial hari-kari if they persist in their present course with the line of products specified.

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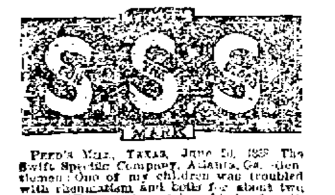

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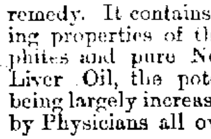

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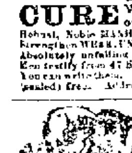

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To Astoria—[illegible]

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Tacoma, Seattle and Victoria.—Steamers Olympian and North Pacific between Tacoma and Victoria (except Sundays), as follows: Leave Tacoma at 7:00 A. M.; leave Victoria at 6 A. M.

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JUDGES, JURORS, ATTORNEYS

The U. S. Grand Jury Discharged From Further Attendance.

Coffey's Clerk Indicted—Not True Bills—Set for Hearing—Wheeler Divorce Case—Wants Damages—Gets Ninety Days

The United States grand jury having disposed of all business before them made their report to the district court yesterday and have been discharged from further attendance for this term They have discharged their duties in a business-like manner and have impressed the court and officers with the idea that they were intelligent and honorable men who fully appreciated the responsibility of the duties they had been called upon to perform

WHEELER VS WHEELER.

The suit of Mrs Ella A Wheeler against her husband Dr C H Wheeler, to compel him to support her and the suit of Dr. Wheeler for divorce on the ground of drunkenness, were on trial before Judge Stearns yesterday The court reserved its decision

A number of witnesses testified that Mrs. Wheeler had frequently been guilty of improper conduct Some said that she had even thrown sweepings and dust on the clothing of lady patients A saloonkeeper testified that he ordered her out of his place for misconduct one night. Officer Beyer said that once when Dr Wheeler was called away on business he was requested to guard Mrs. Wheeler who was supposed to be under the influence of drugs or liquors

A great deal of testimony was also adduced to show that Mrs. Wheeler had never to their knowledge been guilty of impropriety that she was a careful house wife and a pleasant neighbor and that her husband had refused to pay bills for goods and provisions ordered by her

NOT TRUE BILLS.

The grand jury ignored a bill against T L Fletcher who was charged with committing perjury The grounds for the charge were as follows. On the 6th of last December, Fletcher was tried and convicted in the United States court for selling liquor without a license He claimed while under oath that he was running a saloon at Canby Clackamas county as agent for Joel Wilson and that he supposed that Wilson's license was all right He denied positively that he was doing business for himself but acknowledged that he was to have all the profits He bought whisky in his own name and disposed of it without taking out new papers. The jury found him guilty, and he was sentenced to pay a fine of $300 and serve six months in the Clackamas county jail Developments showed that Wilson had nothing to do with the business and hence Fletcher swore falsely but as it was done in self defense the grand jury failed to indict him

COFFEY'S CLERK INDICTED

The grand jury yesterday returned a true bill against William Myles who acted as clerk for B Coffey late agent at the Umatilla Indian reservation Myles is charged with making fraudulent vouchers, knowing them to be such and that Mr Coffey would obtain money upon them. Myles is at the Umatilla reservation now and an officer of the court will be dispatched immediately to bring him down or return with $500 of his [illegible] which he must put up as bail

SET FOR TRIAL.

The case of William Tucker against the bark Otterspool, to recover damages on account of slipping on rigging which had been greased and spraining his ankle is set for trial in the United States district court on May 2.

The case of William Basquel against the City of Carlisle to recover damages for an injury received on the passage here is set for May 7 His case is conducted by his guardian ad litem Fred V Holman, and Ed. N Deady

JAILER W W H SAMPSON

The jury also ignored a bill against W W H Sampson, who is jailer of Clackamas county charging him with permitting a prisoner to escape. The prisoner was T L. Fletcher, above mentioned, who walked out of the jail just six days after he had been consigned thereto for safe keeping The evidence against Sampson was not strong enough to show that he had assisted the prisoner to escape.

DIVORCES FOR HUSBANDS.

Judge Stearns yesterday granted Henry H Tibbetts a divorce from Annie Tibbetts, on the ground of adultery

Henry C Hincken was granted a divorce from Nellie I Hincken for the same cause Both women were the plaintiffs and each averred that her husband had been guilty of cruelty but Judge Stearns considered that the husbands had cause for separation

NEW SUITS.

George L. Hayes is suing George B Markle in the state circuit court to recover $4000 which is alleged to be due as the second payment on the Tom Payne mine purchased last December from plaintiff

H Klas is suing P J Scharback to recover $270 50 due on a note

WANTS DAMAGES FROM THE CITY

The damage suit of D E Bush against the city was on trial before Judge Shattuck yesterday and the jury will probably return a verdict to-day Bush wants $1000 He complains that last winter the city cut the gutter on Fifth street causing the water to flow on his land and wash the soil away

SCHWARTZ GETS NINETY DAYS

In the criminal court yesterday J T Schwartz indicted for stealing a blanket in a store was allowed to plead guilty to petit larceny and was committed to the county jail for ninety days

LICENSED TO WED

Marriage licenses were granted yesterday for Thomas Logan and Anna E [illegible] George R Olden and Annie Cross, Julius Schweigardt and Cora L. Jones.

CHARLES E DEAL

The grand jury also returned not a true bill in the case of Charles E Deal charged with making a fraudulent report to the commissioner of pensions.

NEW CITIZENS

Miles Abelson a native of Sweden and Carl Glaser a native of Germany, yesterday filed their declarations of intention of becoming citizens.

CONDENSED COURT REPORT

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

F V Holman, guardian ad litem for William Basquell a minor vs the bark City of Carlisle Set for trial on Tuesday May 7 1889

William Tucker vs the ship Otterspool Set for trial on Thursday May 2 1889

Order discharging grand jurors from further attendance in court for this term

Order discharging John Logden from custody

The United States vs. T L Fletcher Not a true bill

The United States vs W W H Sampson Not a true bill

The United States vs Charles E Deal Not a true bill

The United States vs Bartholomew Coffey and William Myles A true bill Coffey's bail be fixed at $2000 and Myles bail be fixed at $500

Adjourned till 10 A M Saturday Apr 27 1889

STATE CIRCUIT COURT NO 1

Horatio Cook vs M L Cooper et al Judgment on the findings

M A Daly et al vs H C Doty et al judgment against Annie Clark for $150

Thomas Maloney vs. George Hoefle dismissed.

August Roth vs North Pacific Lumbering Co defendant allowed until Tuesday to file a motion for a new trial

D E. Bush vs. City of Portland on trial

John Stanich a citizen of Austria admitted to citizenship

STATE CIRCUIT COURT NO 2

L D Brown vs John Bigne et al defendants Bigne and Joseph Glossett allowed until April 30 to move to plead

O'CONNOR, CHAMPION OARSMAN

He is Confident of Defeating Searle the Australian in England next September

William O'Connor the champion oarsman of America and George W Lee his trainer also an oarsman of [illegible] passed through Portland Wednesday en route to Tacoma where they will row in the regatta [illegible]

O'Connor is a tall, brawny man whose connection with acquatic sports [illegible] what is called a water fan to his camp [illegible] birth [illegible] His [illegible] was [illegible] world [illegible] at [illegible] Teemer on the Potomac last November He is matched to row against Searle the Australian champion for $5 000 a side and the championship of the world in September The race will be rowed on the Thames near London for which city O'Connor will leave in June to go into training

Answering an inquiry O'Connor said he was never in better trim He now weighs [illegible] pounds but intends to reduce his weight to [illegible] pounds He will go into training at Tacoma at once for the regatta there He brought two boats with him from San Francisco and has two more on the way

"What do you think of Searle?" was asked of the oarsman

"He is undoubtedly a good man I am going in to win though, and I am confident that I will be champion of the world inside of a year"

THE SURVEYS TO BE EXAMINED

A Special Agent of the General Land Office to Visit the Umatilla Indian Reservation

For several days past Mr B F Douglass special agent of the general land office for the examination of surveys, has been examining the notes of the surveys of the Umatilla Indian reservation and making extracts for his guidance in examining the work.

He left for Pendleton last night and will make an inspection of the surveys upon the reservation making a report to the general land office by telegraph Should his statement confirm the reports of the surveyors the reservation will be immediately ordered open and the lands offered for sale at public auction The minimum price per acre fixed by the government is $7 50, but much of the land will sell for a greater sum than this The judge says that the policy of the present administration is favorable to the immediate opening of all public lands. Surveyors have for some time been at work upon the Yakima reservation to which point he will next move. His opinion is that a great portion of that reservation will soon be declared open. Many prospective buyers are now heading for Pendleton several persons from California having passed through this city during the week. There is promise of plenty of bidders for the rich lands of the Umatillas.

Mr Douglass has been for the past year engaged in inspecting surveys in New Mexico along the boundary line, and it is quite a pleasant change for him from that dreary desolate sandy desert region, where there is little vegetation beside cactus and mesquite bushes, and where water is scarce and whisky mighty poor to this land of fertile soil and luxuriant vegetation where all nature is bourgeoning and blooming and where no one needs to go thirsty

A DETERMINED SUICIDE.

John Dunagen While Crazed With Drink Ends His Earthly Career With a Winchester Rifle

At 9 30 o clock yesterday morning John Dunagen aged twenty nine years a blacksmith employed in the North Pacific lumber mills while crazed with drink shot himself through the left side with a forty four caliber Winchester rifle inflicting a wound from which he expired at 2 30 P M

An OREGONIAN reporter visited the home of the suicide on the southwest corner of Thirteenth and T streets yesterday afternoon, in company with Coroner DeLin's assistant. It seems that the family had just moved in as most of the rooms were carpetless and almost destitute of furniture When the reporter arrived, the house was upside in great confusion and disorder The body was lying on a rickety bed in what seemed to be the only habitable room in the house

Mrs Lettie Dunagen wife of the deceased was met in the hall of the house crying bitterly over her husband's terrible and rash act On being asked the circumstances leading to the suicide, she said

"My husband has been drinking very hard since last Monday in fact he has not drawn a sober breath this week Yesterday he attempted to commit suicide by the use of chloroform but [illegible] that is his brother William and myself prevented him, taking the drug

"From that time until he shot himself we kept a close watch over him At 9 o clock this morning I had occasion to step out of the house but I had no more than gained the open air than I heard the report of a firearm in the house and rushing back with some neighbors found John lying on the floor of the bed room with a large stream of blood spurting from a wound in his left side near the heart Drs Hawthorn [illegible] and Bruns were summoned but they pronounced the wound fatal the bullet having just grazed his heart and passed out through the back just below the left shoulder blade.

"It seems that immediately after I left his side he got a Winchester rifle which we kept in the house and placing its muzzle against his side, fired the fatal shot as the gun was found on the floor beside him when we found him He was conscious up to within about ten minutes of his death and conversed freely on his deed. He said that he was tired of life and wanted to die"

"Did you ever have any trouble with your husband or has he had any difficulty with any one that would be likely to cause him to commit suicide?" was asked

"No I have never had a cross word with John since we were married some four years ago His suicide was the result of hard drinking He was not in his right mind when he bought the chloroform, or fired the shot that ended his life"

It is stated that Dunagen purchased the chloroform at William Munger's drug store on Sixteenth and R streets, Wednesday It is also said that the druggist inquired as to whether he knew how to use it.

"It is not for me" replied Dunagen "but for a lady Give me about a half dollar's worth"

"Does the lady know how to use it?" again inquired Mr Munger

"I don't know, better write directions on the bottle"

This did not satisfy the druggist, and he at first refused to let Dunagen have the drug.

At length Dunagen said "The lady must know something about the use of chloroform for she has taken it a long time." Dunagen being apparently sober at that hour, the druggist sold him fifty cents worth of the stuff When he reached his house, Dunagen did not hide the fact that he had bought chloroform for a suicidal purpose and it was taken from him before he could execute his purpose

Coroner DeLin will hold an inquest at the deceased's late residence at 10 o clock this morning

THOSE FEATHERED SONGSTERS.

Will the German Warblers Return From Their Winter Migrations—The Wicked "Small Boy"

The German song birds will soon be in New York being due there about May 2 and they will arrive here as soon after as possible by express. One thing which has slightly troubled the society which is bringing these birds here is the uncertainty as to whether they will return from their intermigration to this place It is but reasonable to expect that they will especially after having nested and raised broods of young here but of course nothing can be known for certain in regard to this matter, till the experiment has been made

There is however a bit of testimony in the matter which is assuring, Mr H Dosch liberated a pair of bullfinches on his place west of town three years ago The female was unfortunately in some manner killed but the lonely mate has migrated every winter since and lately returned for the third time to his old haunts Just where he goes in the winter is not known but he must find it lonely wherever he goes as he is the only bullfinch in the country

As to the disposition to be made of the birds after their arrival here the society have not yet decided definitely It was thought at first that it would be advisable to send them out to a Swiss settlement some distance from the city where they would be protected from the small boy who with gun or sling or crossbow seeks to slaughter all the innocent birds he sees. But it is about concluded that if all the school teachers and Sunday-school teachers and parents will explain to the children in their charge the wickedness of killing the little birds, the youngsters will probably desist, and it will be safe to free a portion at least, of the birds in the suburbs of the city where all may have an opportunity to hear the song of the nightingale the carol of the lark and the sweet notes of many of the other pretty songsters.

Will teachers please try to instill into the minds of all the children under their charge a realizing sense of what a wicked thing it is to kill the birds the pretty birds which sing about our doors and also call their attention to the fact that there is a law to protect birds and punish those who kill them or take or destroy their nests? Singing birds are not numerous in this state but their number is increasing as the state becomes settled and persons taking the nests of any such birds especially those which are scarce as the oriole, should be punished as the law provides.

A SUDDEN DEATH

Mr D P Porter, An Old Resident of Linn County Dies in East Portland

Mr D P Porter a member of the United States grand jury and a prominent citizen of Linn county died Wednesday night at a house on Sixth and I streets East Portland where he had been boarding while attending court.

The attending physician states that he died from a chronic disease with which he had been afflicted for a number of years The remains were sent to his home in Linn county for interment He is said to be quite wealthy and owns one of the largest farms in that county

HIS FRIENDS SHOCKED

The appended dispatch was received from THE OREGONIAN'S Albany correspondent last night

ALBANY, Or April 25—The friends of D P Porter [illegible] one of Oregon's wealthy pioneers who [illegible] ox team in 1853, were [illegible] to hear of his sudden death [illegible] where he has been serving as U S. grand juror

TWO BLAZES IN ONE DAY

An Old Blacksmith Shop on Fire—A Tar House Totally Destroyed

At [illegible] out a little after 6 o clock last evening [illegible] story of J F Skibbe's blacksmith [illegible] northwest corner of Second and [illegible] streets This story is occupied by a [illegible] as a lodging house The fire is supposed [illegible] caused by a defective flue and [illegible] space between the ceiling and the [illegible] extinguished until the roof had [illegible] ably damaged At length some [illegible] torn from the gable and a hose [illegible] put out the fire The building [illegible] one and the loss will probably [illegible] $200

Yesterday morning the small tar house located on Fourteenth and Z streets and belonging to Goldsmith & Lowenberg was discovered to be on fire The fire department responded but owing to the inflammable nature of the contents the building was totally destroyed The origin of the fire is unknown The loss is estimated to be $1000.

NEW RESIDENCES

Now that there are so many new dwellings in course of construction it will be advantageous to those intending to furnish them, and desiring to procure the latest designs in carpetings curtains portieres and window shades etc. to inspect our new stock—lowest prices quality considered.

Samples of carpets sent to any address.

White or grey Angora rugs 3x6 feet $3 50 each H F Gullixson & Co 104 Third street, Abington building

AMUSEMENTS

NEW PARK THEATER —The Love-Inman Co gave [illegible] last evening To night they will [illegible] bill producing Facing the Enemy and [illegible] and Kind to be [illegible] will be given at the matinee to-morrow

Hundreds of persons using Ayer's Hair Vigor testify to its efficacy in restoring to their hair the color and beauty of youth

Through Pullman sleepers and dining cars also second-class sleepers through to the East via Northern Pacific Railroad Office, No 121 First St., corner Washington.

EAST PORTLAND SEWERAGE.

This Important Question As Yet Remains Unsolved

A Plan Has Been Suggested—Postponement of Meetings—Lively Runaway—New Trucks Received—To Yaquina—Social Matters

The question of sewerage has been coming up at various times during the past year but as yet nothing of a definite character in the way of a plan has been adopted. The condition of low grounds on either side of K street is such that some action must be taken to at least drain this portion of the accumulation of refuse Heretofore the high water has been depended on to wash out the noxious mass but there is small prospect that the water will come up high enough to carry this away this year

People have gone on from year to year casting all their refuse into the slough little thinking or caring what the result might be until now a halt must be called and other means for disposing of refuse must be provided If any one will take the trouble to stand at Third and K street and take in the odor after a hot day the necessity for action will be apparent

A prominent member of the city council has suggested a plan by which a wooden conduit or sewer may be laid along the bottom of Asylum creek He proposes that it shall start below the pumping station of the Water Company and continue along the bottom of the slough to the river taking up the water not used by the Water Company Then all the hotels saloons and business houses on either side of this conduit can make connections with it by means of sewer pipes Those who have expressed an opinion of this plan think it feasible, and could be introduced with much less expense than any other The conduit could be made large enough to carry off everything for several blocks on both sides and would last until the city could afford to put in something of a more permanent character

The question as to who should pay for this conduit the property holders or the city will cause some discussion but either this or some other plan should be adopted It may be stated that as the Water Company does not keep the pumps running all night the entire flow from the springs would pass through the conduit at night

EXCITING RUNAWAY

An exciting runaway took place yesterday from Hogue's sawmill on Water street Several teams have been engaged in hauling ties from the mill out to the Sunnyside extension of the railway One of the wagons was driven down the incline at the mill and the driver was preparing to put on a load of ties He had scarcely put down the lines when the horses started up the incline at a lively rate The driver made an attempt to regain possession of the lines but was thrown with great violence underneath a lumber wagon and considerably hurt Reaching Water street the horses turned north and ran with tremendous speed to J street where they collided with an awning and were stopped Not much damage was done

GRAND MASQUERADE

The Mystic Social Club of this city gave a grand masquerade ball last night in Hall & Scott's hall which is the closing social event of the season There was a large attendance and the costumes were very unique The grand march began at 9 o clock sharp and the dancing continued until a late hour This club has given a number of pleasant dances the past winter all of which were conducted with perfect decorum and good order

NEW TRUCKS

The Portland & Vancouver Railroad Company has just received a pair of new trucks which will be placed under the passenger coach in place of those which came with the car It must have been noticed that the car rode rather "hard" This was because the trucks were without springs, being the same as those used for freight cars The new ones are provided with springs and will ride much smoother than the others.

MEETINGS POSTPONED

The revival meetings in the Centenary M E. church by Rev James Conly have been postponed one week and will commence Monday night May 6 This change has been made necessary from the fact that Mr Conly has an engagement for next week in Woodburn where he will hold a series of meetings

FROM HOOD RIVER

Mrs R McGuire who has been at Hood River for the past three weeks returned yesterday afternoon She goes back the first of next week The climate at Hood River is beneficial to her health.

SOCIAL.

A pleasant social will take place this evening at the Congregational church Holladay's addition There will be good music provided. All are invited.

DID NOT START

The new motor of the Bridge Railway line did not start yesterday as the eccentric was out of order It will be repaired at once.

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W J Humphrey, a well known printer and his family, of this city went to Yaquina yesterday where they will make their home.

NOTES.

Orient lodge No 17 I O O F has elected Past Grands J M Stott F C Powell and J T Stewart delegates to the Grand Lodge, which meets at McMinnville in May

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A Portland Club Discusses One of Henry George's Pet Theories

"The Portland Ballot Reform and Single Tax Club" held an enthusiastic meeting at Grand Army hall last evening President R R Thompson in the chair A general discussion was had on the subject of single tax, which is one of Henry George's various theories of remedying the existing defects in human nature, particularly that phase of the law which makes a man dig down in his pockets and pungle up his taxes to prevent his property being sold at sheriff's sale The meeting listened very attentively to a well prepared lecture on the subject by Mr S B Riggen The spirit of the single tax theory is to tax land only, and not products manufactures and houses and land is not to be taxed when it is the only means of support

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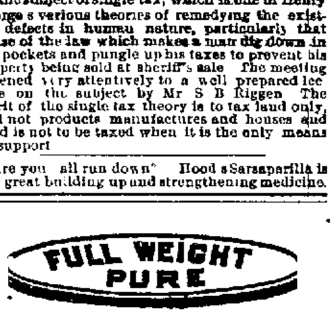

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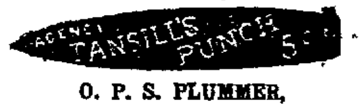

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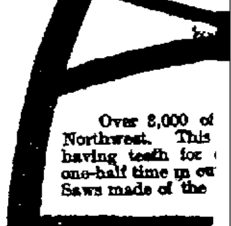

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